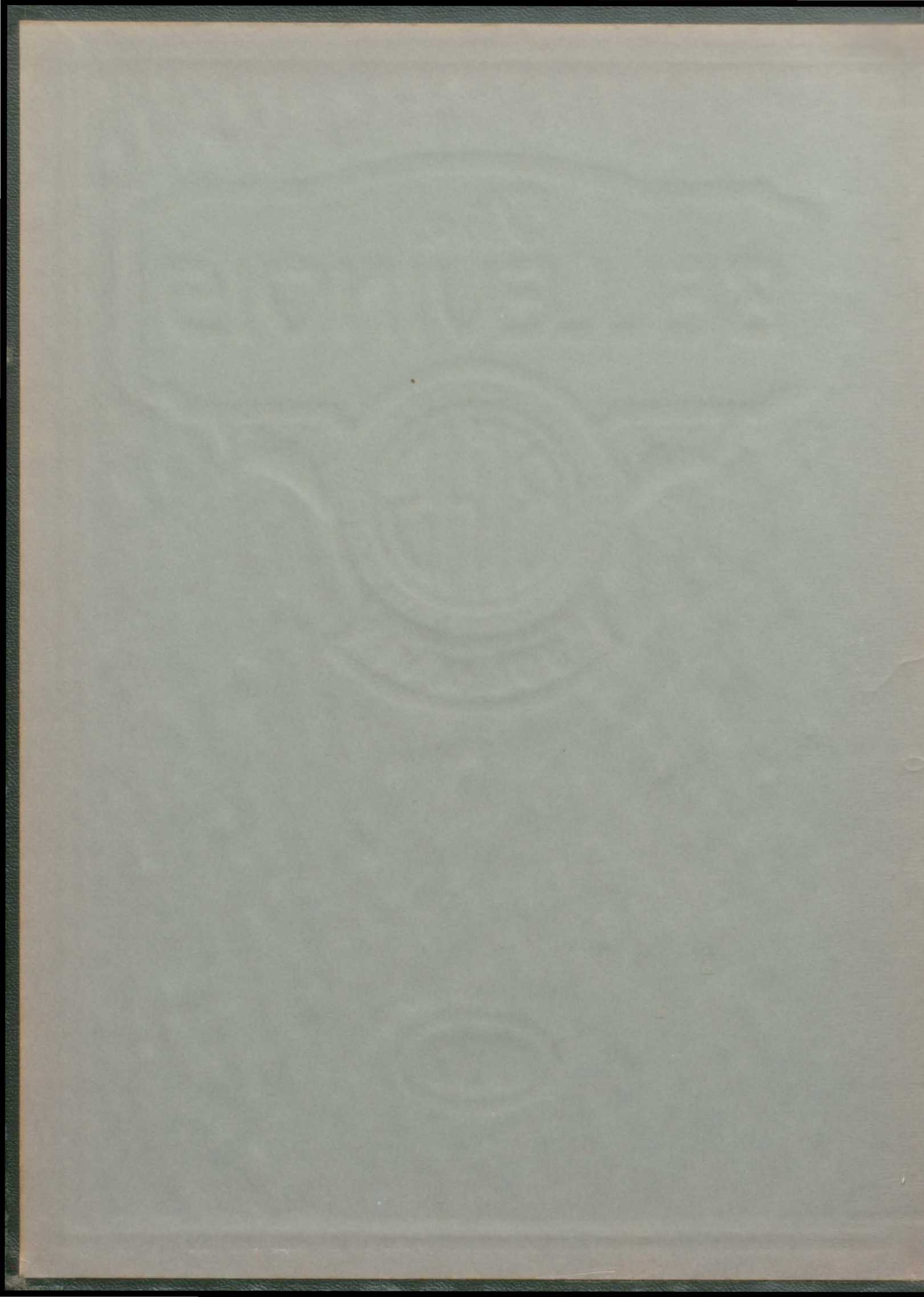


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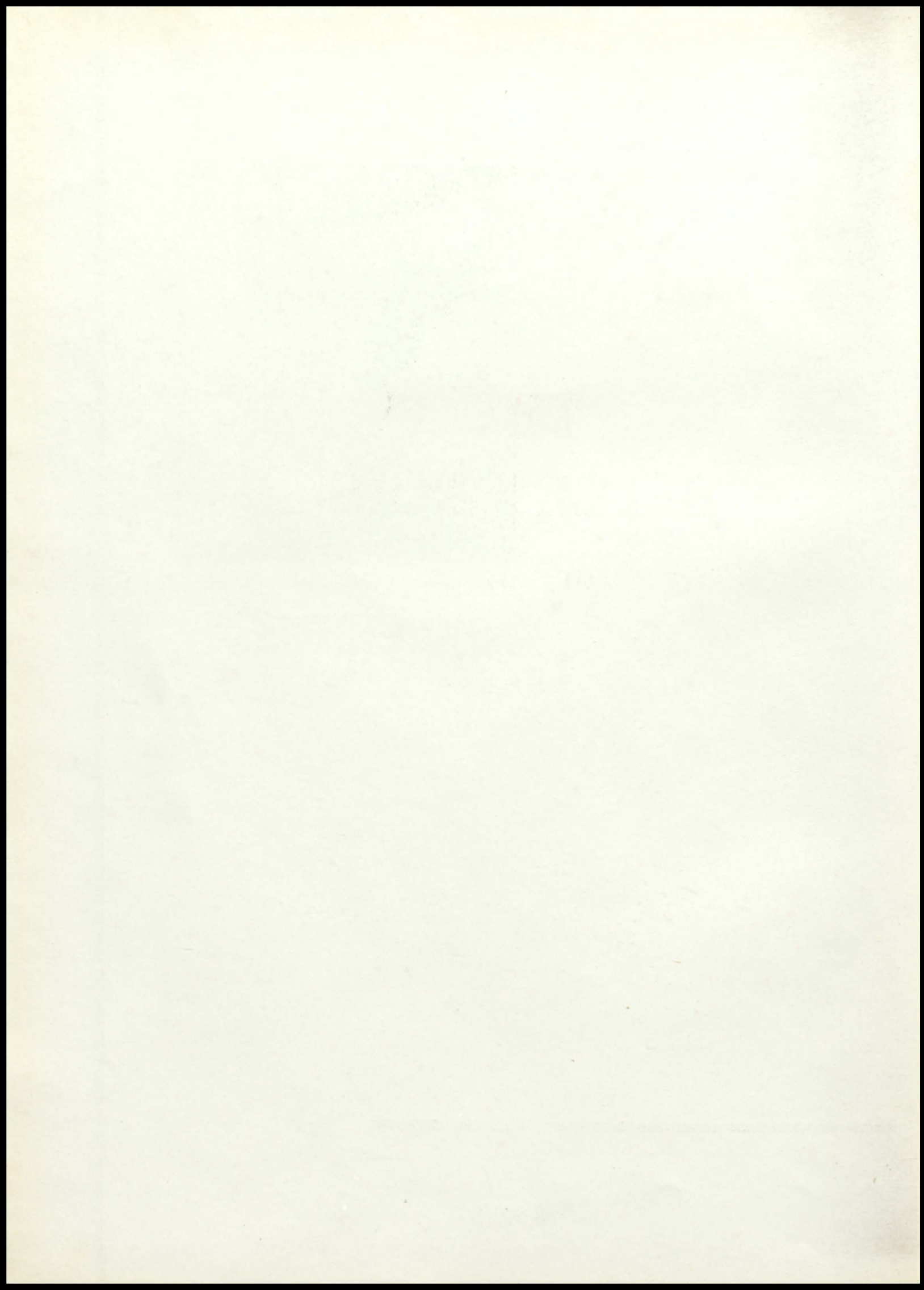


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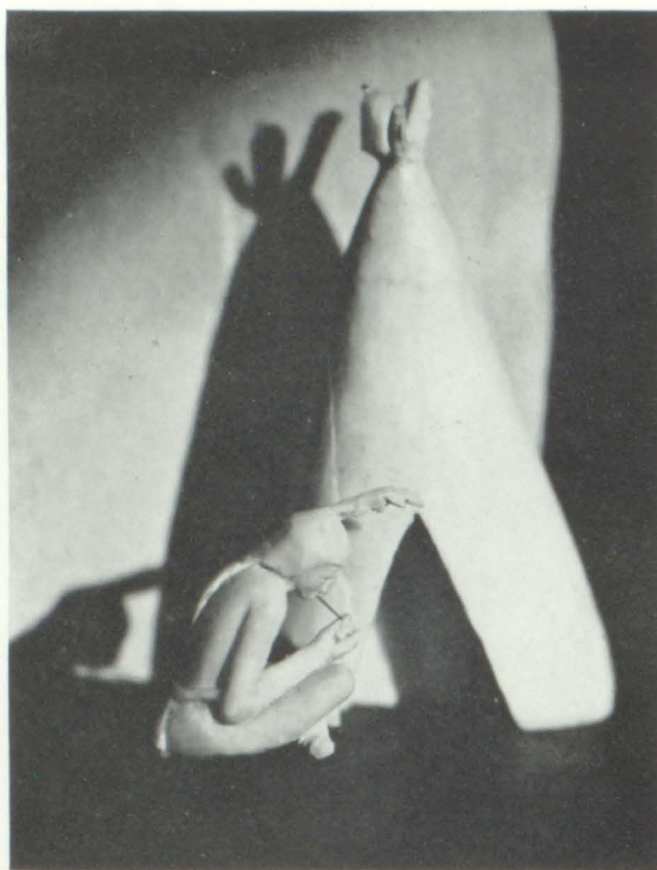
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DEDICATION

To Miss Florence Miller, appreciative of her faithfulness in the performance of her duty as an industrious member of the faculty, and in recognition of her outstanding ability as a teacher of History and Civics, we, the graduating class of 1932 affectionately dedicate this volume of the "Bellevinois."







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FOREWORD

The Staff presents this sixteenth volume of the Bellevinois with the hope that Faculty and Students will find between its covers an epitome of their innumerable activities during the 1931-32 school year; that the Alumni, as they scan its pages, will be reminded of fond recollections and experiences of their own school years; that succeeding classes, as they read of the records and attainments, scholastically and otherwise, of their predecessors, will receive an inspiration to strive toward a high ideal and uphold the enviable reputation of our beloved Belleville Township High School.



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The Maroon and White School Song

I.

The great schools of all nations
Have their colors and their signs
And heart thrills are awakened
As their banners fall in line.
So the Belleville Township High School
Has its colors true and bright;
And loyal hearts sing praises
Of the dear Maroon and White.

II.

Four years we serve our colors,
Get our lessons hard and long.
Four years we cheer our labors
With a gay and cheerful song.
Back our athletes in their struggles,
As they strive with all their might,
For the honor and the glory
Of the dear Maroon and White.

III.

These years will soon be over,
And in life we'll take our way;
There to prove the truths here taught us
Strength imparts for every day.
Though heads may tint with silver,
Hearts will always thrill at sight
Of a banner, ribbon, pennant,
Bearing old Maroon and White.



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ADMINISTRATION

The Board of Education

Credit is due these public-spirited men of Belleville,
serving without compensation, who, by their
wise selection of our faculty and their con-
servative management of finances, have
done much to make this an insti-
tution of which we are justly
proud.



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IN this period of economic stress and strain, its accompanying social disturbances, and the uncertainties of a rather complexing future, many far seeing persons think that the education of the whole person and personality of every child and youth in America is one of the most vital questions before us. Without an education of the body to natural development and health; without the education of the mind to think calmly into and through the new situations that are sure to arise perhaps even tomorrow, without the full development of personality into a sound character dedicated to a useful life, we in this era and perhaps in America are facing chaos. The education of the head, hand, and heart with a firmer sense of justice to one and all is the open sesame to a better future, a future more stable economically, and more equitable socially.

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THE MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

The Department of Mathematics offers a full four-year course as follows: Elementary Algebra I and II; Plane Geometry III and IV; Advanced Algebra V; Solid Geometry VI; Plane Trigonometry VII, and College Algebra VIII.

Mathematics is presently destined to play a much larger part in our general scheme of education than it ever has in the past. One is forced to this conclusion not by the insistent demands of students, but by the consideration that the tools and the methods offered by this science have been so largely responsible for the extraordinary advances in other sciences which the past generation has witnessed. The more mathematics contributes to the development of other sciences the more dependent upon it they become.

The world in which we live is incurable mathematical. Every human being is born into a physical universe in which quantity, shape and size play an important part. The geometric principles of equality, symmetry, congruence and similarity are implanted in the very nature of things. It is apparent, for example, that we cannot make or manufacture the simplest article without giving constant attention to its form, its dimensions and the proper relation of its parts. The art of measurement permeates the fabric of modern civilization at every point. It underlies all applied work in engineering, technology and manufacturing. Without measurement and computation the world of science would cease. Algebra furnishes economical methods and formulas for many of these computations. Trigonometry, being essentially the art of indirect measurement, forms the necessary background for the making of maps and survey plans of all sorts. It underlies the art of navigation. Our entire civilization, our sciences, our modes of thinking, have a mathematical core.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS DEPARTMENT

The chief idea lying back of a course in industrial Arts is the need of provision for individual differences and for guidance, educational, moral, avocational, and vocational of boys who are passing through the critical years of their early teens. For many boys, the first two years of high school will be their last school. To provide these needs, therefore, many types of activities must be offered and if they have any guidance values they must be rich in interesting, though challenging material. Industry touches the life at some point, of every individual. Therefore the school must offer work which will serve to interpret modern industry to them.

This department has made rapid growth since it was organized in 1917. At that time it had only one instructor and a small equipment. Today the department has four instructors. One for each of its major departments. The equipment has been enlarged until it now adequately serves between two and three hundred students daily besides many in the night school classes. Our shops are as well equipped as will be found in Southern Illinois. All courses offered in this department are recognized as entrance credits of any university or college.

The instructions in drawing cover two and a half year work—one full year on elementary drawing, one-half year machine design, and one year of architectural drawing. The Wood Shops offer two full years of cabinet work including one-half year bench work, one-half year wood turning (lathe work), and one year mill work. When the classes are not too large, a fifth term is offered to students having had two years work. The Machine Shops offer two full years with possibility of more advanced work to students desiring it. The first year's work includes elementary bench work in metal. Elementary lathe work, work on drill press and hack saw. During the second year the students are given advanced work on the lathe, shaper, milling machine and planer. Acetylene welding is offered to advanced students. The Auto Mechanics' course for the first year includes instruction in the purpose, materials of instruction, types of maintenance of the various units of the automobile. The second year is devoted entirely to the location and repair of the various troubles occurring in the operation of an automobile.

As a whole, the Vocational Department tries to give sound, practical training along lines that will benefit the students when they go out to earn a livelihood.

THE HISTORY DEPARTMENT

The work confronting the History Department of the High School is to provide the student with a knowledge of present day problems, and an understanding of the political and cultural background of modern civilization.

To accomplish this there are well organized courses which include a study of the ancient civilization of Greece and Rome, the vicissitudes of establishing centralized governments in Europe, the opening of America to European civilization, and the political organization of the United States. Problems facing these nations at the present time are introduced into class discussions by the use of periodicals such as the Literary Digest, Review of Reviews and Current History.

THE MODERN LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT

The Modern Language Department offers two years of French, Spanish, and German. In the first year, the fundamentals of the grammar of the language are emphasized, while in the second year, more time is given to reading. The primary aim of the course is to impart a reading knowledge, while the ability to speak and write the language is taught as a secondary aim.

In the French and Spanish classes, the new Language, Literature, and Life series of texts is being used, which contains grammar, reading, and essays in English concerning the foreign country and its people. Personal correspondence is carried on in the advanced classes, with foreign students. In these ways, a third aim is fostered, that of imparting a knowledge of the foreign country, past and present, and inspiring an interest in the life and characteristics of its people.

THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Growth and progress have been our ideals in our school of music for the past years, and each year we have accomplished both over the preceding years.

As in the years before, our courses in theory include harmony, history of music and music appreciation. In applied music we instruct in wood and string instruments and piano.

Public performances of both the vocal and instrumental departments include appearances before the Southwestern divisions of the Teachers' Institute held in East St. Louis, as well as our usual concerts, the May festival, which was held here last year, and the band contest.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Physical Education is the regulated and supervised practice of muscular exercises under conditions that tend to promote health, insure normal growth and development. It cultivates and develops strength, vigor and endurance, promotes quickness and skill, and strives for beauty of form. Physical Education also promotes obedience, exactness, order, alertness, self-control, self-denial, co-operation, good sportsmanship, morality and loyalty to leaders.

The gymnasium of B. T. H. S. is completely equipped with all modern apparatus. The work given consists of apparatus, calisthenics, rhythmic work, games, tumbling and wrestling.

AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

The object of all vocational training is to fit the student for useful employment. The aim of vocational agriculture is to prepare boys for the work on the farm. The agriculture department has a room equipped primarily for instruction in agriculture. It is sufficiently equipped to demonstrate the improved scientific methods of testing milk, incubation of eggs, brooding chickens, grafting and pruning trees, testing soils, etc. A good collection of reference books, and several good farm papers, periodicals, and bulletins relating to the course offered are available for the use of the students of agriculture. The department of the Belleville Township High School stands ready to help not only the boys enrolled in the classes, but all agricultural interests of the community.

THE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

One of the best indications of the condition of an institution is the manner of its growth. A slow, steady, almost imperceptible, yet gradual growth points toward a healthy condition. The Belleville Township High School has had such development; and in keeping with the increase in the enrollment of the school, the science department has had a similar growth. In ten years, the science faculty has increased from three instructors to seven instructors; and the students enrolled have increased proportionately. During that time an additional laboratory has been equipped and many pieces of apparatus, both for demonstrational purposes and for student use, have been purchased.

A student may complete a full four-year science course by studying biology in the Freshmen year, botany or physiography in the Sophomore year, chemistry or zoology in the Junior year and physics in the Senior year. Much credit is due Mr. Schmidt for the arrangement of the work. No laboratory stands idle; the rooms, equipment and teachers are scheduled for use in such a way that the greatest possible return is obtained from the money expended on this work. And while this has been done the standard of the work has not been impaired. Every course meets the requirements of the North Central Association.

THE HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

The Home Economics Department includes courses in Foods, Clothing, Textiles and Home Making.

In the Foods courses the student learns to plan meals, market, prepare, serve, eat and calculate costs and food values for them.

Home Making teaches the art of housekeeping and home-living. A model four-room apartment is their workshop. Each year the class earns enough money to buy

something for this apartment. This year they are purchasing a set of silver to be used for meal service.

The courses in clothing are planned to teach girls the selection of costumes appropriate for various occasions and designs suitable and becoming to different types of individuals; to teach them to make clothing budgets in order to buy more wisely and also teach them to become independent in the planning and construction of garments for themselves and other members of the family.

THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

The English Department keeps stride with the times. Two new series of books have been introduced in composition and literature. Diverse theme subjects are up-to-the-minute; principles of composition are enlivened with new material; the discussion of social and economic problems is encouraged in public speaking.

The reading courses are no longer confined to the classics, but include the selections of contemporary American and English literature. Every effort is being made to make the English work not only a vital element during the school life of the student, but a satisfaction and instrument in later life.

THE COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

The economic and social conditions of the present day necessitates more than ever before, an understanding of good sound business principles and a better comprehension of the economic organization of society.

The commercial department has a well rounded and an unusually complete course to offer its students. The schedule not only includes the usual courses in typing, stenography and bookkeeping, but offers commercial law, banking, economics, advertising, and salesmanship as well.

Very modern office equipment is used in connection with the courses given. The department has recently purchased a new mimeograph, a bookkeeping machine, and a contometer. Every effort is put forth to equip the student with practical business knowledge.

THE ART DEPARTMENT

Art education aims to develop in the average student a greater ability to express himself graphically, to present to the talented student an avenue for artistic development and an opportunity to become familiar with the various media that he will meet vocationally, and by helping both to create beauty, to give to them a finer sense of appreciation for beauty wherever it may exist.

To teach students to appreciate beauty and to create beauty is the real aim of art education. Before we can boast of artistic America we must develop a people who appreciate beautiful things. Therefore the Art course is organized to meet the needs of the majority of students at the same time.

The Art course covers four years of Arts and Crafts. During that time the student is given an opportunity to become familiar with such media as water color, tempera and oil paint, pencil, pen and ink, and charcoal. Problems in pure design as well as commercial design are presented. Jewelry and metal design casting, linoleum block printing, modeling, batik, and other types of applied design are practiced.

THE LATIN DEPARTMENT

A graduate of the Belleville Township High School may offer four units of Latin among the entrance requirements of a university or college. The first year consists of a study of the principles of grammar, combined with translation into English of fables and events in Roman history.

In the second year the course begins with the translation of a description of Roman life and customs, continues with the history of Roman government, and then takes up in detail the history of Julius Caesar and the wars of which this great soldier was the leader. Composition based on the Latin occupies the required time.

During the third year Cicero's works and life furnish the basis of study. In the fourth year the translation of the Aeneid is the primary function. Here the student becomes acquainted with the story of this beautiful epic, its immortal heroes and characters.

THE LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

The library, which is located in a large, airy room on the third floor of the main building, is also used as the central study hall. It seats one hundred sixteen students, and houses the five thousand books which the school owns. Because of the help given by the pupils who are registered in Library Science Course, the librarian is free for more personal work with the students, who do not understand the library and its various tools. These library students will also be able to render assistance to others as they become better acquainted with the library. The Library Science Course is offered every day and gives one-half credit. The course is divided into two parts, one for acquiring fundamental and the other for practice work, which not only helps impress the fundamental, but also relieves the librarian of much of the routine work which formerly occupied a large share of her time. The course is especially valuable to those who plan to attend college and to anyone who hopes to work in a small library.



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CLASSES

History of the Class of '32

Well, it's all over. Four years we of the graduating class have spent within the walls of this institution. Now we are ready to make our final bow garbed in cap and gown.

Those years were short ones. Too short, but they have made an impression on our minds and have left lasting memories. These have been years at which we may look with pride and perhaps a little sorrow, regretting that we couldn't have been lordly Seniors for our entire High School life.

Besides having a lot of fun and happiness we learned something—quite a lot of “Something.” We had our rough corners knocked off, we were taught manners, we were enlightened as to the many things which go to make up the backbone of the graduating class.

So in our grand finals and last appearance in the commencement exercises we shall say to the rest of the students and faculty “So long.”

WALTER MERZ, JR.



Sarah Mary Farthing
Vice President

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President

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The Senior Class

COLORS

Bright Blue and Silver

FLOWER

Pansy

MOTTO

Few words, many deeds.

PLAY COMMITTEE

Maria Altmansberger, chairman	
Fern Compton	Margaret Hueckel
John Sprague	Edward Saint Eve

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Leah Hary—"Red"
Glee Club 1
German Culb 2
General Literary Club 3
G. A. A. 4

Raymond Lowery—"Boots"
Latin Club 1
Science Club 2
General Literary Club 3
Baseball 2
Basketball 4
Hy-News Staff 4



Warren Duffield—"Duffy"
General Literary Club 1-2
Latin Club 2
Science Club 3
Hy-News Staff 4
Art 4

Marjorie Reeder—"Marjie"
General Literary 1-2
Honorary Literary 2
Girl's Science Club 3
Dramatic Club 3-4



Pearl Vogel
Glee Club 1-2-3
Orchestra 3-4
Hy-News Staff 4
Music Club 4
Jr. Program 3
Sr. Program 4

Ovid Ruhman
General Literary Club 1
Tumblers 1
Science Club 2
Chemistry Club 3
Lettermen's Club 4
Track 1-2
Baseball 4
Basketball 3-4



Louis Jewett, Jr.
"Louie"
Latin Club 1
Boy's Science Club 2
Pres. Mathematics Club 3
Sec. Treas. Chemistry Club 4
Band 1-2-3-4-5
Orchestra 1-2-3-5
Junior Jam. Committee 3
Senior Invitation Committee 4
Bellevinois Staff 5
Nut Farm 4

Helen Morgan
Okawville High 1-2
G. A. A. 3
Dramatic Club 4



Doris Gebhard
G. A. A. 1
Glee Club 1-2-3
Dramatic Club 3-4

Russell Werle—"Rus"
General Literary Club 1
Boy's Science Club 2-3
Advertising Club 4



Harry Ackerman—"Acky"
General Literary Club 1-3
Science Club 2-3
Music Club 2
Dramatic Club 4
Hy-News Staff 4
Track 2-3

Dorothy Palmer—"Dot"
G. A. A. 1
Philo Club 1
Glee Culb 2
General Literary Club 3
Dramatic Club 4

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Doris Wodley
General Literary 1-2-3
Sec. Art Club 4
Jr. Jam. 3
Orchestra 1
Tulip Time 2
Semester Recital 1-2

John Davis—"Johnnie"
Music Club 1
Science Club 2
Alumni Frolics 2
Band 3
Orchestra 3
Senior Program 4
Sophomore Program 4

Walter Merz, Jr.—"Wally"
General Literary 1
Commercial Club 2
Advertising Club 3
Dramatic Club 4
Hy-News Staff 4
Bellevinois Staff 4
Sec. Treas. Sr. Class 4

Henrietta Kniepkamp
Glee Club 1-2-3
General Literary 4
Chorus 1-2-3

Dolores Nebgen
General Literary Club 1-4
Home Economics Club 2
Advertising Club 3

Ellion Waigand
Latin Club 1
Boy's Science Club 1
Boy's Tumbling Club 2-3-4
Hy-News Staff 4
Band 2-3
Printer 3-4

Norman Stonewater
"Stoney"

Maryan Middlecoff
General Literary Club 1
G. A. A. 2-3-4
Treas. G. A. A. 3
Vice Pres. G. A. A. 4
Tumblers 2-3-4
Glee Club 4
Lettermen's Club 3-4
Basketball 3-4
Hy-News Staff 4

Dorothy Louis—"Dot"
Commercial Club 1-2-3
Pres. Commercial Club 2-3
Home Economics Club 4
Semester Recital 1-2
Jr. Jam. 3
Bellevinois Staff 4

Charles Stegmeyer "Charley"
General Literary 1-2-3
Dramatic Club 4
Basketball 3-4
Hy-News Staff 4
Jr. Jam. Committee 3
Jr. Jam. Play Committee 3
Senior Program Committee 4
Jr. Jam. Committee 3

Frank Rezny
Agriculture Club 1-2
Craftsmen Club 3-4
Football 1-2
Track 3-4
Baseball 4

Bertha Gore
G. A. A. 1
General Literary Club 2
Dramatic Club 3-4
Glee Club 1-4



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Edna Vogt
General Literary 1
Sec. Philo Club 2
Art Club 3
Dramatic Club 4
Nut Farm 4

Fred Stein



Howard Biggs
"Blonde Blizzard"
Football 1-2-4
Basketball 4
Track 2-4
Latin Club 1-2
Dramatic Club 3-4
Lettermen's Club 4
Jr. Ring Committee 3
Jr. Jam. Committee 3

Virginia Schnaare—"Ginny"
General Literary 1
G. A. A. 2-3
Sec.-Treas. Home Economics
Club 4
Hy-News Staff 4



Joan Leber—"Jo"
General Literary Club 1
Honorary English Club 2
G. A. A. 2-3
Glee Club 3-4
Dramatic Club 4
Hy-News Staff 4

John Sprague—"Johnny"
Craftsman Club 1
General Literary 1
English Honorary Club 2
Tumbling 2-3
Football 1-2
Aviation Club 4
Boy Scout Club 4
Boy Scout Program 4



Robert Wieckert—"Bob"
German Club 1-2
Jr. Jam. Committee 3
Hy-News Staff 4

Helen Hasler—"Hassie"
Glee Club 1-2
G. A. A. 4
Girl's Science 3



Estelle McCullough
General Literary Club 1
G. A. A. 2-3
Chemistry Club 3
Home Economics Club 4
Football 2
Advertising Club 4

Norman Hartwell—"Jack"
Literary Club 1-2-3
Boy's Science 3
Aviation Club 4
Band 1-2-3-4
Christmas Program 4
Semester Recitals 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1



Harold Kamenz—"Fatso"
General Literary Club 1
Commercial Club 2
Advertising Club 3-4
Band 2-3-4
Orchestra 4
Semester Recital 2-3-4

Sarah Mary Farthing
"Sahara"
Glee Club 1-2
Orchestra 1-2
Latin Club 2
Science Club 3
Dramatic Club 4
Sec.-Treas. Jr. Class 3
Snappy Snappers 4
Bellevinois Staff 4

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Ozello Schmisser
Home Economics Club 1
G. A. A. 2
General Literary Club 3
Music Club 4
Orchestra 3

Wilbur Florreick
Craftsmen Club 1
Agriculture Club 2-3-4

Roberta Nivin—"Bobby"
Riverview High 1-2-3
Dramatic Club 4

Earl Guthrie
Commercial Club 1
General Literary Club 2-3
Tumbling 4

Irene Rodenmayer—"I"
General Literary Club 1
G. A. A. 1-2-3-4
Letterwomen's Club 3-4
Vice Pres. Letterwomen's Club 4
Tumbling 1-2-3
La Estrellita 3
Jr. Jam. 3
Tulip Time 2

Bernard Walker—"Bumps"
Cathedral High. 1-2
Football 3-4
Lettermen's Club 4
Mech. Drawing Club 3-4
Vice Pres. Mech. Drawing Club 3

Olin Gerdes—"Gerdes"
Music Club 1-2-3-4
Band 3-4
Orchestra 3-4

Josephine Bridges—"Jo Jo"
Pres. Philo Club 1
General Literary Club 2
Glee Club 2
Vice Pres. Dramatic Club 3
Glee Club 2
Vice Pres. Dramatic Club 3
Jr. Jam. 3
Jr. Prom. Committee 3
Pres. Dramatic Club 4
Sr. Program 4
Hy-News Staff 4

Gilbert Hambleton—"Flash"
Craftsmen Club 1-2-3
Pres. Craftsmen 3
Lettermen's 4
Track 1-3-4
Football 2-3-4

Evelyn Poser
General Literary Club 1
Girl's Glee Club 1
Vice Pres. German Club 2
Girl's Science Club 3
Dramatic Club 3-4

Leon Bischoff
Latin Club 1-2
Chemistry Club 3-4
Aviation Club 4
Orchestra 1

Louise Mollman—"Lou"
G. A. A. 1-4
Science Club 3
Glee Club 2
Girl's Quartet
Jr. Ring Committee 3
Letterwomen's Club 4
Bellevinois Staff 4



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Nita Gaubatz
Fairfield High 1
G. A. A. 2-3
Girl's Science Club 2
Home Economics Club 3
Dramatic Club 4
Glee Club 4
Hy-News Staff 4

John H. Rauth—"Johnnie"
Football 1-2-3-4
Basketball 3
Track 3
Tumbling 1-2
Dramatic Club 3
Lettermen's Club 4
Junior Jam Play 3



Herbert Hardt—"Herb"
Craftsman Club 1
Band 1-2-3-4
Orchestra 2-3
Boy's Chorus 3
Music Club 2-3
Lettermen's Club 4
Track 1-3-4
Baseball 4
Semester Recital 1-2-3-4

Aliceann Godfrey
Grover Cleveland High 1-2
La Estrellita 3
Jr. Jam 3
Alumni Frolics 3
Dramatic Club 4
Sr. Program 4
Dramatic Club 4



Alice Mahr
General Literary 1-2-3-4

Adolph Auer—"Ats"
General Literary 1-2
Boys' Science 3
Dramatic Club 4



James Vincent—"Rosie"
New London, Wis. 1
General Literary Club 2-3
Football 2-3
Chemistry Club 3-4

Vivienne Theiss—"Viv"
English Honorary 1
G. A. A. 2-3-4
Dramatic Club 3-4
Snappy Snappers 4
Hy-News Staff 4
Prom Committee 3
Senior Program 4



Kathleen Duey—"Kat"
General Literary Club 1
English Honorary Club 2
Latin Club 3-4

Stanley Miller
Freeburg High 1-2
Aeronautics Club 3
Band 3
Tumbling 4



Longley Butts—"Shorty"
Music Club 1-2-3
Band 1-2-3-4
Orchestra 1-2-3
Reed Quartet 3
Jr. Program Committee
Hy-News Staff 4

Corinne Zerban
Home Economics Club 1-3
Girl's Science Club 2
General Literary Club 4
Glee Club 4
Semester Recital 3-4

THE BELLEVINOIS

Doris Horn—"Dodo"

Lakeview High 1-2-3
Art Club 4
Dramatic Club 4
Jr. Jam. 3
Hy-News Staff 4
Bellevinois Staff 4
Snappy Snappers

Virgil Roebling

Music Club 1-2-3
Band 1-2-3-4
Orchestra 1-2-3-4
Reed Quartet 2-3-4
Hy-News Staff 4

Aurelia Auer

Arthur Schmisser—"Pat" Commercial Club 1
General Literary 1-2
Tennis 3-4
Lettermen's Club 3-4
Hy-News Staff 4
Bellevinois Staff 4
Jr. Jam. Committee 3

General Literary Club 2
Snappy Snappers 3
Letterwomen's Club 4
Tennis Team 1
G. A. A. 1-3
Hy-News Staff 4
Glee Club 1

Edna May Berger—"Eddie"

Glee Club 1
Latin Club 2
English Honorary 3
Dramatic Club 3-4
Hy-News Staff 4

Temple Marsh

Leslie Cole—"Les"

Tumbling 1-2
Track 1-2-3-4
Football 1-2-3-4
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Lettermen's Club 3-4
Pres. Lettermen's Club 4
Vice Pres. Sophomore Class 2
Pres. Senior Class 4

Ellen Knobloch

Home Economics Club 1-3
Pres. Home Economics Club 3
General Literary Club 1-4
Girl's Science Club 2

Maria Altmansberger

General Literary Club 1
Latin Club 2
Pres. Girl's Science Club 3
Dramatic Club 4

Jacob Tennebaum—"Jake"

Music Club 1-3
Literary Club 4
Commercial Club 2
Orchestra 1-2-3-4
String Quartette 3-4

Edward Burckhardt—"Eddie"

Tumblers 1-2-3-4
Boys' Glee Club 3
Hy-News Staff 4

Mary Francis Begole

General Literary Club 1
Glee Club 2
G. A. A. 3
Tumblers 2



THE BELLEVINOIS



Ione Ruhman
General Literary 1
Vice Pres. Glee Club 2
Vice Pres. Girl's Science Club 3
Dramatic Club 4
Jr. Jam. Committee 3

Franklin Reiss
Millstadt High 1-2
Agriculture Club 3-4
Sec. Ag. Club 4
Sec. Vocational Ag. Fair 4



Marcella Depper—"Dep"
General Literary Club 1
English Honorary Club 2
Girl's Science Club 3
Dramatic Club 4

Katherine Andel—"Kat"
Latin Club 1
Honorary English Club 2
Dramatic Club 3-4
Jr. Ring Committee 3



Cyril Vernier—"Cy"
Latin 1
Science Club 1
Music Club 1-2
Advertising Club 3-4
Band 3-4
Quartet 2-3-4
Glee Club 1-2-3
Pres. Peppy Peppers 4
Christmas Program 1-3-4
Jr. Jam. 3
Peppy Pepper Cheer Leader 4

Marie White—"Boots"
Literary Club 1
Music Club 2
Dramatic Club 2-3-4
Girl's Quartet 4
La Estrellita 3
Jr. Program 3
Sr. Program 4
Sr. Tree Planting Program 4
Sophomore Program 2
Cheer Leader Snappy Snappers 1-2-4



Magdalene Spitz—"Mag"
Stewardson High School 1-2
G. A. A. 3
Glee Club 3
Dramatic Club 4
Hy-News Staff 4

Kenneth Schuessler "Kenny"
Latin Club 1
General Literary Club 2
Chemistry Club 3
Advertising Club 4
Prom Committee 3
Hy-News Staff 4
Bellevinois Staff 4



Gaylen Niedenfuehr
General Literary Club 1
Honorary English Club 2
Aviation Club 3
Advertising Club 3-4
Hy-News Staff 4

Mary Helen Andel—"Bud"
Latin Club 1
English Honorary Club 2
Dramatic Club 3-4



Ruth Wagner—"Bobbie"
Home Economics Club 1
General Literary Club 2
Dramatic Club 2
G. A. A. 1-3-4
Vice Pres. Letterwomen's 3
Pres. Letterwomen's 4
Letterwomen's Club 3-4
Hy-News Staff 3

Ralph Hoeffken
Tumblers 1-2
Vice Pres. Music Club 2
Vice Pres. Chemistry 3
Dramatic Club 4
Sr. Program 4

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Florine Petri—"Pete"

G. A. A. 1
Latin Club 1-2
Vice Pres. Latin Club 2
Pres. Latin Club 2
Tulip Time 2
Sec. Treas. Science Club 3
Pres. Jr. Class 3
Snappy Snappers 4
Jr. Jam 3
Sr. Program 4
Sec. Treas. Dramatic Club 4
Bellevinois Editor 4

Charles White—"Sonny"

General Literary Club 1
Latin Club 2
Science Club 2
Chemistry Club 3
Advertising Club 4
Prom Committee 3
Jr. Jam. Committee 3

Clarence Mueller

East Side 1-2
Vice Pres. Agriculture Club 4
Mechanical Drawing 1-2

Helen Hausmann

General Literary Club 1-2
G. A. A. 3
Dramatic Club 4

Dorothy Hasemann "Jimmy"

Glee Club 1-2
Tumblers 1
Dramatic Club 3-4
Jr. Jam. Committee 3

Raymond Grimmer—"Ray"

New Baden High 1-2
Basketball 1
Baseball 1
Track 1
Advertising Club 3-4
Chorus 4

Elmer Randle—"Chub"

Ruth Virginia Smith

Sacred Heart Academy 1-2-3
G. A. A. 3
Dramatic Club 4
Snappy Snappers 4

Florence Keim—"Flossie"

G. A. A. 1
General Literary 1
Commercial Club 2-3
Vice Pres. Commercial Club 2
Dramatic Club 3
General Literary Club 4
Jr. Jam. 3

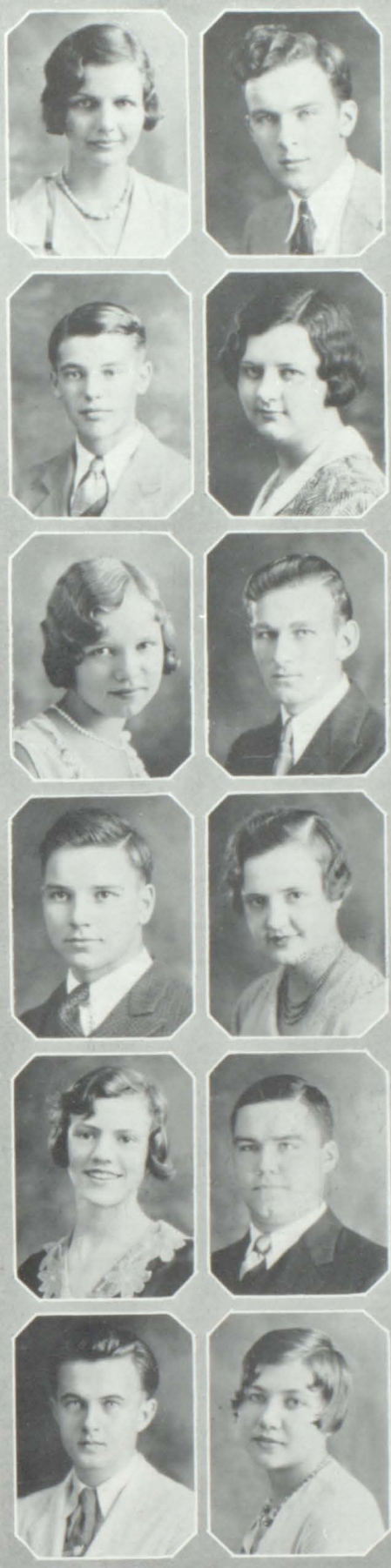
Lyman Mertz—"Damager"

Webster City, Ia. 1-2
Vice Pres. General Literary Club 4
Manager Track 3
Manager Basketball 4
Manager Football 4

Warren West

Ruth Frank—"Shorty"

Okawville 1-2
Girl's Science Club 3
G. A. A. 4



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Margaret Hueckel—"Hick"
 Glee Club 1
 Latin Club 2
 Dramatic Club 3-4
 Jr. Jam. Committee 3
 Sr. Program Committee 4
 Snappy Snappers 4
 Tulip Time 2

**Ralph Schlesinger
 "Schles"**
 Agricultural Club 1
 Science Club 2
 Sec. Treas. Advertising
 Club 3-4
 Jr. Jam. 3
 Jr. Jam. Committee 3



Henry Smith—"Heinie"
 General Literary Club 1-3-4
 Latin Club 2
 Football 3-4

Fern Compton
 General Literary Club 1-2
 Home Economics Club 3
 Art Club 3-4
 Bellevinois Staff 4



Mignon Glueck—"Min"
 G. A. A. 1
 Dramatic Club 2
 General Literary 3
 Hy-News Staff 4

Edith Lee Parks—"Parkie"
 Glee Club 1
 General Literary Club 2
 Latin Club 3
 Dramatic Club 4
 Orchestra 3-4
 String Quartet 4



**Charles Fitzgerald
 "Charley"**

Martha Allen
 Mountain Crest High 1
 Art Club 2
 G. A. A. 3
 General Literary 4



Ruth Fontana
 Glee Club 1
 Sec. Treas. Latin Club 2
 English Honorary Club 3
 Dramatic Club 3-4
 Hy-News Staff 4

Dorothy Titze—"Dot"
 General Literary Club 1-2
 G. A. A. 3-4



Robert Berg—"Buddie"
 Deerfield High 1
 General Literary 2
 Lettermen's Club 3-4
 Tennis 2-3-4

Helen Eidman
 Philo Club 1
 Sec. Philo Club 2
 Honorary English Club 2
 Dramatic Club 3-4
 La Estrellita 3
 Jr. Jam. 3
 Prom Committee 3

THE BELLEVINOIS

Martha Gutherz—"Mart"
Glee Club 1
General Literary Club 1-2
G. A. A. 3-4

Howard Albert
Agriculture Club 1-2-3-4
Treas. Ag. Club 4

Raymond Rutz—"Red"
Craftsmen Club 1-2
Aeronautics Club 3
General Literary Club 4
Hy-News Staff 3

Margaret Gore
G. A. A. 1
General Literary Club 2
Dramatic Club 3-4
Glee Club 4

Helen Keil
General Literary 1
G. A. A. 1-2
Girl's Glee Club 1-2-4
Orchestra 1-2-3-4
Tulip Time 2
French Club 3
La Estrellita 3
Miss Cherryblossom 4
String Ensemble 3-4
Dramatic Club 4
Letterwomen's Club 4
Accompanist Boy's Quartet 3
Accompanist Girl's Quartet 4

Lester Deffenbaugh—"Les"
General Literary Club 1-2
Agriculture Club 3
Dramatic Club 4

Earl Zwetschke
General Literary Club 1-3-4
Latin Club 2
Hy-News Staff 3
Science Club 3

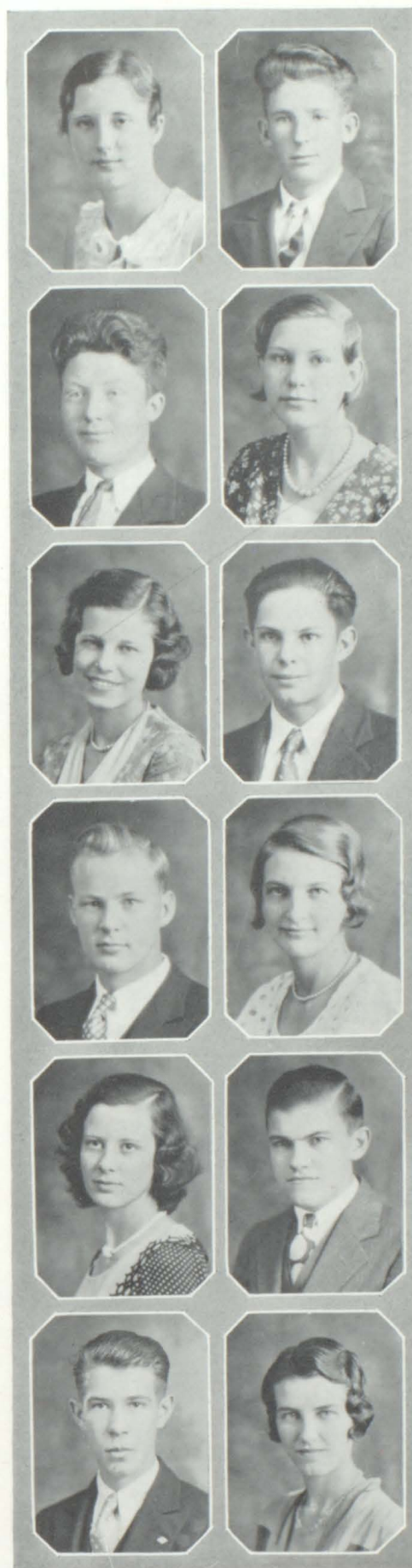
Kathryn Rapp—"Kats"
Nokomis High 1-2
G. A. A. 3
Dramatic Club 4
Orchestra 3
Girl's Glee Club 4
Girl's Quartet 4

Frances Hilltrop
General Literary Club
1-2-3-4
Girl's Glee Club 1
Girl's Philo Club 2
Dramatic Club 4

Howard Fincke—"Fink"
Science Club 1
Advertising Club 2-3
Pres. Advertising Club 4
Jr. Jam. 3
Jr. Jam. Committee 3
Senior Invitation Committee 4

Frederick Moehle—"Fred"
Okawville High 1-2
Chemistry Club 3-4
Band 3-4

Ada Marie Zink



THE BELLEVINOIS



Tony Rutz



Jennie Nevener—"Jen"
General Literary 1
Glee Club 2
Semester Recital 2-3
Latin Club 3
Glee Club 3
Pres. Latin Club 4



Ethel Mutto—"Mutt"
General Literary 1
G. A. A. 2-3-4
Sec. G. A. A. 4
Tumblers 2-3-4
Sec. Treas. Tumblers 2-3-4
Glee Club 4
Basketball 3-4
Letterwomen's Club 3-4
Hy-News Staff 4



Herbert Kaufman—"Herb"
Literary Club 1
Vice Pres. Science Club 2
Dramatic Club 3
Lettermen's Club 4
Pres. Sophomore Class 2
Hy-News Staff 4
Football 1-2-3-4
Basketball 4



Edward St. Eve—"Eddie"
Cathedral High 1
Ranken Mechanical School
2
Chorus 3
Football 3-4
Glee Club 3
Track 3-4
Basketball 4
Lettermen's Club 3-4
Dramatic Club 3



Ruth Mueller—"Ruthie"
General Literary Club 1
Glee Club 1-2
Latin Club 2
French Club 3
Dramatic Club 4



Mildred Storck—"Millie"
Commercial Club 1
G. A. A. 2
General Literary Club 2-3
Home Economic Club 4



Harold Ervin—"Heavy"
Latin Club 1
Advertising Club 2
Sec. Treas. Lettermen's
Club 3-4
Hy-News Staff 4
Track 3-4
Football 2-3-4



Arthur Buesch, Jr.—"Art"
Latin Club 1
Agriculture Club 2-3-4
Sec. Treas. Ag. Club 3
Vice Pres. Ag. Club 4



Genevieve Stork—"Genie"
General Literary 1
G. A. A. 1
Commercial Club 2
General Literary 3
Home Economics Club 4



Melba Kuhn
General Literary 1-3
G. A. A. 2
Dramatic Club 4
Girl's Science Club 4
La Estrellita 3



Homer Rheinhardt
"Dutch"

Wilbur Ehret—"Brick"
 Craftsman Club 1-2
 Pres. Craftsman 2
 Letterman's Club 2-3-4
 Pres. Letterman's 4
 Basketball 1-2-3-4
 Baseball 1-2-3-4
 Football 2-3-4
 Capt. Baseball 4
 Capt. Basketball 4
 Vice Pres. Freshman Class 1
 Vice Pres. Junior Class 3

Margaret Baumgarten
 General Literary 1
 Commercial 2-3
 Home Economics Club 4

Lee Rockwell
 Science Club 1-2
 Advertising Club 3-4
 Vice Pres. Advertising Club 4

Oliver Rix—"Ollie"
 Agriculture Club 1
 General Literary Club 2
 Dramatic Club 3-4

Eileen Rice
 Notre Dame Academy 1
 Latin Club 2
 Girl's Science Club 3
 Home Economics Club 4

Donald Randle—"Don"
 Sec.-Treas. Tumbling Club
 1-2-3-4
 Chorus 1-2-4

Willmar Peters—"Pete"
 General Literary Club 1
 Dramatic Club 2
 Music Club 3
 Tumblers 4
 Football 1-2
 Band 1-3
 Orchestra 1-3

Ralph Rehg
 Agriculture Club 1-2-3-4
 Glee Club 1-2-3
 Boys' Chorus 3

Franklin Day—"Frank"
 Band 1-2-3-4
 Orchestra 1-2-3-4
 Vice Pres. Latin Club 2

Wilbert Randall
 General Literary Club 1-2-3-4

Tony Christman, Jr.—"Tony"
 General Literary Club 1
 Boy's Science Club 1-2
 Christmas Program 2
 Jr. Jam. 3
 Pres. General Literary 3
 Nut Farm 4
 Dramatic Club 4
 Hy-News Staff 4

Donald Hemmer—"Don"
 Craftsman Club 1-2
 Pres. Craftsmen Club 2
 Football 3
 Auto Mech. Club 3
 Advertising Club 4
 Dramatic 3-4
 Peppy Peppers 4-5
 Tulip Time 3
 Jr. Jam 3
 Jr. Jam. Committee 3

Billy Otwell
 General Literary Club 1
 Boy's Science Club 2
 Chemistry Club 3
 Aviation Club 4
 Band 1-2-3-4

Adam Maurer
 Latin Club 1
 Commercial Club 2
 General Literary Club 4
 Advertising Club 3
 Chorus 1
 Semester Recital 1

Edward Ziehnert—"Ed"
 General Literary Club 1
 Science Club 2
 Craftsmen's Club 3
 Advertising Club 4

Vincent Meinkoth—"Red"
 Lebanon High 1
 General Literary Club 2
 Dramatic Club 3-4
 Vice Pres. Peppy Peppers 4
 Jr. Jam. 3
 La Estrellita 3
 Band 3-4
 Orchestra 3

Audrey Buesch
 Parker High 1-2-3
 Dramatic Club 4

History of the Class of '33

This class, to all save the eyes of Destiny, was like any other when it enrolled in 1929 at B. T. H. S.—very green, but willing to learn. Thirty-three immediately showed its art-soul by electing as Freshman President, Harvey Oelrich; with Elsie Marie Baldus and Lenore Stephenson to help him with his onerous duties.

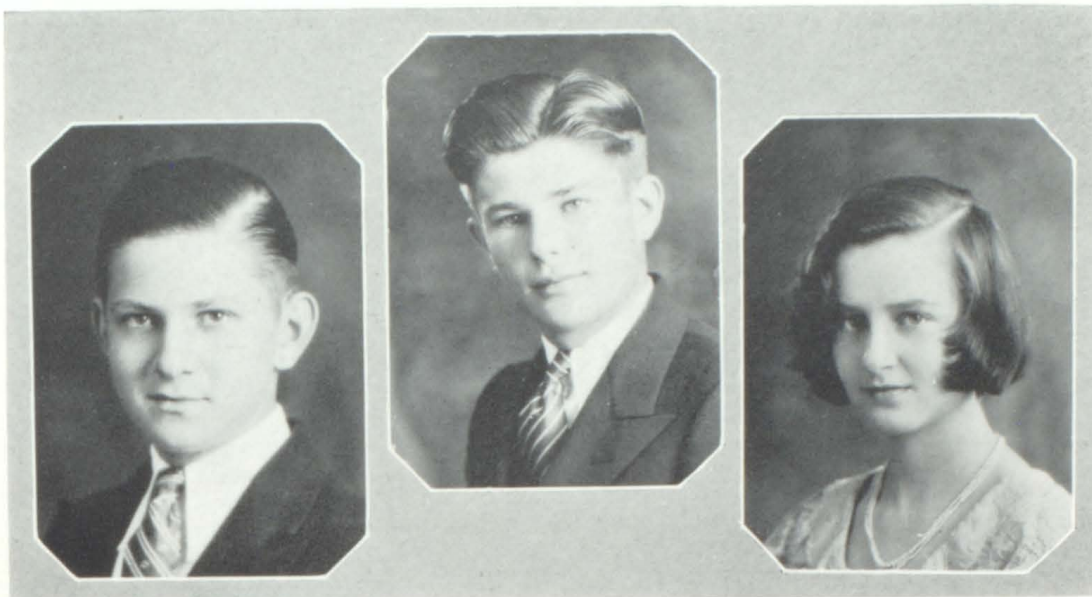
By and by the babies grew up to be jolly Sophomores. And no class in B. T. H. S. had ever displayed more pep than they. Like all good classes should, for the glory of T. H., they went out for all the athletics there were. They found some new officers in Don Wangelin, Jane Lee Jones and Zane Jaber.

As Juniors, the class of '33 was thoroughly launched upon its now famous career. Each class is certain to be noted for one thing above all others; it is our lot to be noted for the rings—oh, the rings! The time and care and pains spent in choosing our class rings puts '33 forever in Township's Hall of Fame.

But why take time to tell of the Jamboree—with unique stunts that only Thirty-Three could have put over. And then there was the Prom., that everyone loved. Our Junior officers were: President, Phillip Weber; Vice President, Henry Smallwood; Secretary-Treasurer, Jean Boyd.

The Senior year looms; what would Township High have done without '33?

—JEAN BOYD.



Henry Smallwood
Vice President

Phillip Weber
President

Jean Boyd
Secretary Treasurer

The Junior Class

COLORS

Nile Green and Salmon

FLOWER

American Beauty Rose

Committees

PROM COMMITTEE

Don Wangelin
Jeanette Proffer
Jo Rhein

Jane Lee Jones, chairman
P. K. Johnson
Melba Rogers

JAM COMMITTEE

Elsie Marie Baldus, chairman

PRODUCTION COMMITTEE

Margaret Heinecke
Jo Kathryn Rhein
Gene Kircher
Kathryn Marsh
Charles Merck
Charles Rockwell

Harvey Oelrich, chairman
Melba Rogers
Jane Lee Jones
Jane Ellen Rogers
Don Wangelin
Arthur Eggersman



JUNIORS

Agne, Richard
 Abenroth, Jerome
 Adams, Lavern
 Auerbach, Charlotte
 Akins, Maxine
 Berning, Dorothy
 Baumgarten, Margaret
 Baldus, Elsie Marie
 Briesacher, Beatrice
 Beuchel, Georgia
 Boyd, Jean
 Boeker, Orville
 Becker, Herbert
 Boeker, Norman
 Bailey, Robert
 Briesacher, Hubert
 Buxton, Quinby
 Cloud, Helen Louise
 Cox, Zelma
 Colley, Virginia
 Culli, Rosalind
 Cross, Harold
 Deppe, Mariam
 Dill, Norma
 Dirsia, Bernice
 Davidson, Gladys
 Dehn, Louis
 Dehn, Herbert
 Davis, John
 Edmiston, Marguerite
 Etling, Doris
 Ehret, Milton
 Emig, Armin
 Eggersman, Arthur
 Flack, John
 Florreich, Mildred
 Freudenberg, Rose Margaret
 Fincke, Dorothy
 Fincke, Olga
 Fellner, Virginia

Fischer, Lorayne
 Goodall, Clinton
 Gray, Walter
 Groom, Charles
 Green, Orville
 Gerber, Edith
 Grandcolas, Helen
 Gordon, Dorothy
 Guest, Jeanette
 Guest, Loretta
 Green, Martha
 Gibson, Eleanor
 Goeddel, Vivian
 Hippard, Ralph
 Harper, Nile
 Hartnagel, Albert
 Heafner, Vernon
 Harszy, Charles
 Holt, LeRoy
 Haudrich, Emil
 Hartleb, Ruth
 Hagen, Helen Marie
 Hyde, Mary Louise
 Howard, Thelma
 Hoover, Dorothy
 Hoffman, Henrietta
 Haentzler, Lenos
 Hinckle, Marian
 Heineke, Margaret
 Hammel, Clifford
 Heinzelman, Frederick
 Hansen, Roumens
 Jones, Jane Lee
 Jansen, Helen
 Johnson, Preston
 Klemme, Alice
 Kohl, Julia
 Kircher, Gene
 Kaufhold, Adell
 Katz, Sarah

JUNIORS—(Continued)

Karr, Rosemary	Ritchie, Darval
Krummrich, Melvin	Rauch, John
Kanzler, Arthur	Rhein, Joseph
Kreher, Sylvester	Ruehl, Elmer
Knefelkamp, Loraine	Smith, Theodore
Krug, Kenneth	Schifferdecker, Ruth
Krizek, Gustav	Schmidt, Lorena
Kissel, Clifford	Schmidt, Ruth E.
Krause, William	Schramm, Helen
Kulesa, Walter	Swafford, Altha May
Katz, Julius	Stephenson, Lenore
Klingel, Robert	Sterling, Ellen
Kunze, Willard	Schneider, Bessie
Liese, Ann	Schaffer, Mary
Lorenz, Laverne	Sapp, Jessie
Lobsinger, Viola	Schifferdecker, Virginia
Lepper, Dorothy	Schmitz, Mildred
Lonsdale, Hortense	Schipke, Ruth
Lutz, Frederick	Schrag, Norman
Lougeay, Lawrence	Smallwood, Henry
Lindow, Lloyd	Schmitz, Irvin
Linster, Jack	Simon, Robert
Lehr, Armin	Stolberg, George
Morrison, Lucille	Schwarz, Richard
Morrison, Lorraine	Sexton, Warren
Millet, Thelma	Spirtas, Abe
Merrills, Mary Jo	Seiber, Melvin
McClane, Opal	Schanot, Allen
Muendlein, Virginia	Skaer, Russell
Marsh, Kathryn	Schaer, Carl
McClary, Vincent	Schmidt, Norbert
Mueller, William	Saint Eve, Edward
Meyer, Kenneth	Schanot, Alice
Merkel, Harry	Tiemann, Melvin
Merck, Charles	Taff, Walter
Meyer, Vernon	Thomas, Irene
Metzler, Melvin	Tribout, Genevieve
Matthews, Walker	Tiedeman, Jane
Nicholson, Mildred	Towers, Flora
Neuner, Arthur	Tenebourn, Lydia
Neff, William	Thomas, Erna
Neu, Kenneth	Tiemann, Thel
Ott, Benjamin	Taylor, Virginia
Oberman, Goldie	Voelkel, Harold
Oelrich, Harvey	Voudrie, Louis
Phillips, George	Vogler, Robert
Pistor, Lester	Veile, Anita
Perino, Gregory	Villhard, Violet
Pistor, Warren	Weisenborn, Roy
Perry, Alan	Weber, Phil.
Poettgen, Francis	Wamser, Ray
Proffer, Jeanette	Weith, Melvin
Peters, Dorothy	Williams, Billy
Pruessing, Helen	Wittlich, Lester
Ritchie, Violet	Wangelin, Don
Rosenthal, Bessie	Wilson, Thelma
Rhein, Jo Kathryn	Weidmann, Marian
Rothgangel, Ruth	Weil, Serraine
Raetz, Henrietta	Wright, Ethel
Randle, Ethel	Ward, Jane
Rogers, Jane Ellen	Yochs, Wilbert
Rogers, Melba	Zaber, Zane
Rehling, Edward	Zellmer, Wilbert
Rockwell, Charles	Zerban, Lillian

History of the Class of '34

Time flies! We've attained the Sophomore classification and, in reminiscing, the first year of our Hi career has been a happy, eventful one, as it is to all Freshmen.

Franklin Bowers piloted us, as a class organization, through our infancy, with Joseph Ottenschneider and Blaine Schmidt as co-pilots.

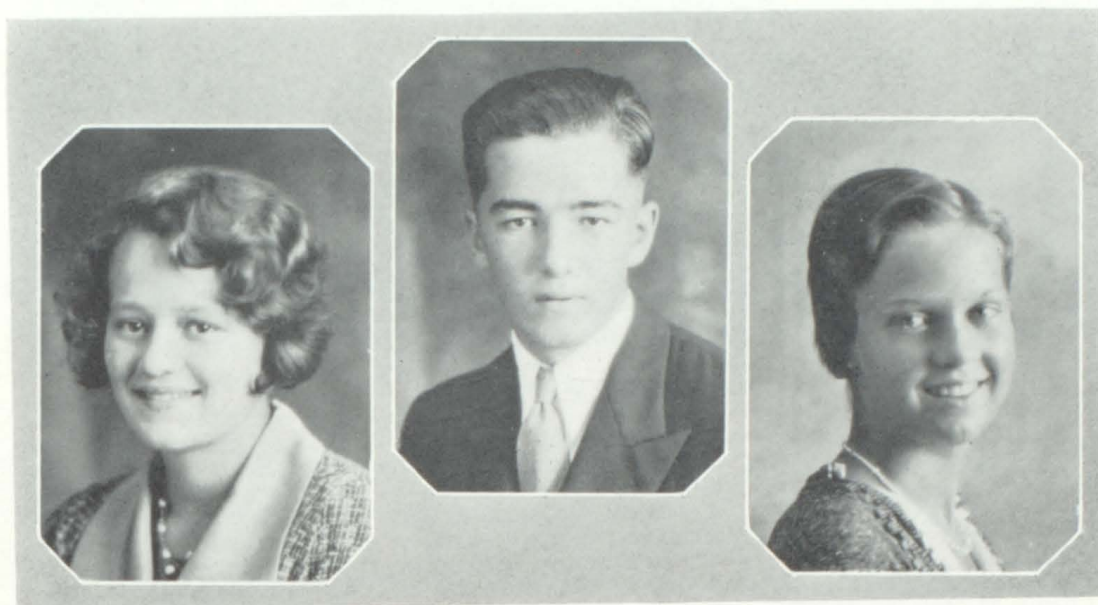
We take just pride in having contributed, as Freshmen, to the collection of laurels in sportdom already attained by the B. T. H. S. One of our members secured the medal for scholastic attainment awarded in June, 1931.

We've elected James Beers, President; Doris Schwarz, Vice President; and Bernice Bien, Secretary-Treasurer; to manage our affairs this year.

Miss Pearl Johnson has been appointed Class Sponsor.

As a class we aspire to great things, ever mindful of the traditions handed down to us by our predecessors, whose records we will endeavor to emulate and strive to surpass!

BERNICE BIEN.



Doris Schwarz
Vice President

James Beers
President

Bernice Bien
Secretary-Treasurer

The Sophomore Class

COLORS

Burnt Orange and Black

FLOWER

Poppy

MOTTO

There's nothing so powerful as the truth.



SOPHOMORES

Anna, Norman
 Akins, Wendell
 Armbruster, Kenneth
 Arnold, Billy
 Ash, John
 Arbogast, Ellen
 Agne, Helen
 Auerbach, Eleanor
 Adrian, Ardel
 Auer, Irene
 Blake, Roberta
 Burns, Jane
 Becker, Mildred
 Bux, Mary
 Bunch, Kathryn
 Barnhart, Phyllis
 Bien, Bernice
 Beers, James
 Baer, Tom
 Biebel, Kenneth
 Brandenburg, Maurice
 Briesacher, Lester
 Briesacher, Clarence
 Brown, Glenn
 Bruns, Kenneth
 Bingle, Edmund
 Becker, Alvin
 Braun, Cyril
 Baer, August
 Buechler, Norman
 Bretz, John
 Bowers, Franklin

Cooper, Elma
 Compton, Hazel
 Cox, Juanita
 Callaway, Katherine
 Cochran, Peggy
 Canon, James
 Cannady, Raymond
 Dill, Gertrude
 Deitz, Dorothy
 Drovetta, Rita
 Dahm, Georgiana
 Duey, Geneva
 Dahm, Merell
 Desberger, Sam
 Dirsia, Paul
 Deutchman, Herman
 Diehl, Raymond
 Dreyer, James
 Engler, Albert
 Eggman, Blanche
 Eversole, Dorothy
 Fischer, Adolph
 Fischer, Gilbert
 Fernau, Paul
 Fuchs, Leonard
 Farrimond, May Alice
 Franke, Myrtle
 Friederich, Marie
 Faessler, Helen
 Frick, Dorothy
 Franz, Henrietta
 Grossman, Beulah
 Gantner, Doris

Green, Doris
 Gunn, Jane
 Goepfert, Henrietta
 Goss, Bernice
 Gerdes, Verna
 Gent, Peter
 Goss, Hudson
 Gundlach, Paul
 Gabriel, August
 Gifford, Stanley
 Grob, Robert
 Grandcolas, Edward
 Hirth, Carl
 Hobbs, Louis
 Hartnagel, Kenneth
 Hermeling, Arnold
 Hartnagel, Walter
 Honer, Fredrick
 Heely, Bud
 Hofmeister, Melvin
 Harper, Orville
 Hammel, Harland
 Huetting, Darwin
 Hobbs, James
 Hubert, Loyal
 Hug, Roland
 Hohm, Charles
 Hubert, Clifford
 Henry, Paul
 Hatfield, George
 Hambleton, Arthur
 Hoffmann, Edwin
 Hayes, Roy

SOPHOMORES—(Continued)

Hofmeister, Hamilton
 Hallemeyer, William
 Haas, Estelle
 Hettenhausen, Ruth
 Hardt, Ruth
 Huelbig, Virgil
 Halstead, Ruth
 Hoffman, Helen
 Isselhardt, William
 Jung, Norman
 Julleis, Dorothy
 Jones, Mabel
 Jacobs, Arthur
 Kuhn, Ruth
 Kent, Betty
 Knobloch, Herbert
 Klemme, Evelyn
 Knemeyer, Mildred
 Kniepkamp, Aurelia
 Kolb, Dorothy
 Kern, Edith
 Kuhn, Doris Mae
 Knecht, Marianna
 Kosar, Lillian
 Knobloch, Hilda
 Kreitner, Dorothy
 King, Mary Helen
 Knefelkamp, Edward
 Kiefer, Elmer
 Keil, Harold
 Keck, Charles
 Keck, Henry
 Keller, Norman
 Knowles, Kenneth
 Kimberlin, Orville
 LePere, Louis
 Lehman, Dorothy
 Leunig, Ruth
 Love, Jane
 Lee, Ray
 Muskopf, Margaret
 Merz, Blanche
 Mingle, Helen
 Meng, Lois
 Mounts, Maryevelyn
 Marsh, Edith
 Mohr, Fern
 Martin, Sophie
 Mitchell, Paul
 Martini, Frank
 Mantle, Eugene S.
 Mueller, Floyd
 Mueller, Robert
 Merck, Adolph
 Mueller, Lester
 Miller, William
 Munden, William

Moeller, Billy
 Mertz, Donald
 Mutto, Theodore
 McCullough, Robert
 Mueller, Harvey
 Maddoz, Billy
 Murdoch, Clarence
 Middlecoff, James
 Mueller, Raymond
 Nauman, Richard
 Nold, Ralph
 Ott, Sue
 Ottenschneider, Joseph
 Oelrich, Bert
 Peterson, Adrian
 Pacini, Angeline
 Phillips, Grace
 Ropiequet, Edith
 Rierchert, Frieda
 Rhein, Mary Louise
 Reed, Mary Etta
 Renth, Margaret
 Ruff, Kathryn
 Randle, Marie
 Rettinghouse, Albert
 Robinson, Victor
 Reheis, Norman
 Roedersheimer, Billie
 Rhein, Valentine
 Rubach, William
 Ruhmann, Ralph
 Seibert, Mildred
 Sheehan, Mary Jean
 Schaefer, Margaret
 Schneidewind, Jean
 Schmeder, Maurice
 Schorr, Sylvester
 Seibert, Norma
 Steinberg, Frances
 Stefanoff, Ruth
 Schwarz, Doris
 Scher, Elvira
 Schilling, Irma Lu
 Saenger, Josephine
 Stein, Helen
 Sapp, Elizabeth
 Sauer, Mary
 Schwesig, Henrietta
 Slade, Irene
 Smith, Kelly
 Schoenenberger, Justin
 Schmidt, Blaine
 Schwartz, Melvin
 Schofield, Earl
 Sudduth, Edward
 Schonder, Carl
 Schrader, Edgar

Schmalenberger, Warren
 Severit, Clyde
 Schmidt, Roland
 Schaer, Victor
 Saiger, Lloyd
 Strothmann, Rudy
 Seibert, Victor
 Sindel, Milton
 Schwarz, William
 Stoecklin, Raymond
 Stovey, William
 Schlechte, Elmer
 Sauer, Louis
 Smyth, Gordon
 Schaefer, Edwin
 Svacil, Jerome
 Schwarz, Lorraine
 Schaefer, Herbert
 Schlueter, Norman
 Stahl, Walter
 Stephenson, Drusella
 Taylor, Rejohnna
 Treager, Virginia
 Tiemann, Carolina
 Thure, Elsie
 Triska, Bessie
 Thebus, Vera
 Thure, Lawrence
 Taylor, Charles
 Thul, Adolph
 Taylor, Kenneth
 Tucker, Ray
 Tebbenhoff, Harold
 Tisch, Waldo
 Tweedy, William
 Tritt, Howard
 Truttmann, Joseph
 Thomas, Joseph
 Voelkel, Lucille
 Volland, Kenneth
 Vogt, Freddie
 Vogel, Charles
 Walker, Catherine
 Woerner, Dorothy
 Walker, Edith
 Wagner, Georgiana
 Wangelin, Kathryn
 Wade, Ruth
 Waldman, Sylvia
 Weber, Marguerite
 Westwood, Evelyn
 Weidmann, Cherie
 Wangelin, Richard
 Westwood, Lyle
 White, Frank
 Zimmermann, Elroy
 Zinser, Paul

History of the Class of '35

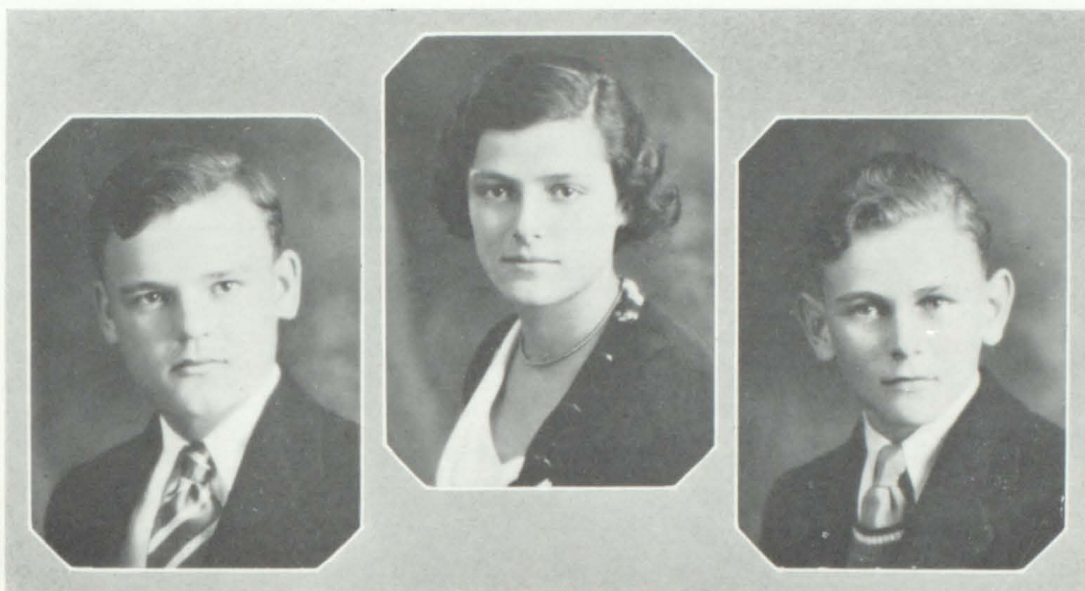
That dreary day of January "1931" brought us Freshmen to the Belleville Township High School.

This was a new experience for all of us. It found us asking the upper-classmen about our new tasks and responsibilities.

Our first meeting in the auditorium was sponsored by Miss Fischer. The Class chose for its officers: Justine Johnson, President; Arthur Sexton, Vice President; and Arthur Londe, Secretary Treasurer. The officers did their best to guide their class in the right way.

The class flower chosen was the pink tea rose. The colors pink and silver were selected and for its motto, the class adopted "A man's reach should exceed his grasp."

ARTHUR LONDE.



Arthur Sexton
Vice President

Justine Johnson
President

Arthur Londe
Secretary Treasurer

The Freshmen Class

COLORS
Pink and Silver

FLOWER
The Pink Tea Rose

MOTTO
A man's reach should exceed his grasp.



FRESHMEN

Andres, Estella	Buske, Permelia	Flittner, Lucille	Grogan, Hubert
Adams, LaVon	Boren, Elbert	Freeman, Sadie	Gilbert, Ann
Alcorn, Marian	Balk, Anita	Fox, Frank	Grosspitch, Alzana
Adams, Elwood	Berger, Earl	Friedli, Monroe	Griesmeyer, Chas.
Alberter, Quinten	Brown, Milton	Florreich, Edward, Jr.	Garnen, James
Applebaum, Sidney	Boschert, Arthur	Falcetti, Florence	Goodman, Rose
Abendroth, Thomas	Barta, Jerry	Forcade, Floyd	Honnen, Marguerite
Adams, Maxine	Blette, Dorothy	Fuchs, Fred	Hememan, Doris
Auer, Edward	Brunsmann, Emerson	Frey, Kenneth	Hill, Delores
Agne, Marian	Burns, Elmer	Friedrich, Waldo	Horn, Lillian
Ackerman, Doris	Capone, Marion	Fries, Allen	Haentzler, Helen
Adkins, Esther	Cron, Carl	Fischer, Eleanor	Hardt, LeVerne
Brown, Grace	Conklin, Harold	Fischer, Ruth	Hofmeister, Marjorie
Berghahn, Virginia	Clement, Milton	Findley, Velma	Hilbus, Dorothy
Blank, Antoinette	Cron, Virginia	Fowler, Fern	Hameister, Luella
Brauer, Mary	Cox, Audrey	Friedman, Rebecca	Herbert, Mildred
Buss, Mildred	Clifton, John	Friedli, Ellen Lynn	Hill, Selma
Bell, Naomi	Christopherson, Georgiana	Forcade, Thelma	Hankammer, June
Buesch, Mary	Canner, Agnes	Fenton, Dorothy	Heely, Sally
Becker, Evelyn	Clark, Melvin	Fredericks, Eugenia	Hull, Clara
Bartel, Ethelmae	DeBoer, Adelaide	Fleckenstein, June	Hosler, Harlan
Batha, Elma	Daumueller, Ruth	Freudenberg, Helen	Hammel, Vernon
Batha, Helen	Deutsch, Elsie	Fernau, Walter	Hutchinson, James
Busekrus, Berdell	Day, Helen Marie	Frick, Edmee	Hamann, Howard
Boyd, Barbara	Davis, Helen	Fickinger, Dolores	Herman, Clarence
Berger, Elaine	Dupee, Pauline	Fitzgerald, Margaret	Hammel, Floyd
Baker, Thala	Dill, Helen	Fohl, Vernon	Hoffman, Harold
Bratzel, Wendell	Duval, Melba	Friedman, Philip	Hiles, Norbert
Brethauer, Russel	Dunck, Richard	Gass, Leona	Hartnagel, Margaret
Becker, Elmer	Duncan, Dan	Glossop, Hilda	Haas, Adelle
Barthel, Lawrence	Davis, William	Green, Grace	Hardt, Estella
Bisoux, Robert	Diller, Harold	Goldberg, Norman	Herman, Elvira
Bartelbort, Arthur	Day, Alfred	Gore, Charles	Heineman, Doris Margaret
Beisiegel, Edward	Drebs, David	Gorges, Nick	Huggins, Florence
Becktold, Armon	Drone, Audrey	Gerber, Joseph	Hexter, Ruth
Berger, Thomas	Durnell, Lola	Green, Russell	Henninger, Alfred
Birnstiehl, Lester	Daley, Donald	Grainger, John	Henry, Mary Louis
Briesacher, Irwin	Erwin, William	Goff, Harry	Hill, Bernice
Bien, Warren	Essenpreis, Eleanor	Green, Anthony	Heisler, Ralph
Bingheim, Donald	Foster, Orville	Geminn, Howard	Hervatin, Rudolph
Baer, Ted	Fischer, James	Goedecke, Rosemond	Hesse, Donald
Borutta, Robert	Fuess, Arthur	Goepfert, Benjamin	Hollerbach, Floyd
Branson, Nadine	Freudenberg, Charles	Guenther, Albert	Hughes, Franklin

FRESHMEN—(Continued)

Huelbig, Cecelia	McDaneils, George Lee	Randle, Leslie	Spirtas, Alfred
Hendricks, Dorothy	Meyer, Adolph	Rehg, Reuben,	Schmidt, Audrey
Hammel, Norman	Mueller, Ella	Reiss, Irwin	Seibert, Robert
Hohm, Kenneth	Minor, Rita	Ruhmann, Julius	Silch, Harry
Horn, Charles	Mitchell, Margaret	Rix, Kenneth	Schonde, Anna May
Jacob, Cleo	Miller, Marie	Ross, Wilmer	Schwarz, Norman
Jones, Lucille	Melon, Margaret	Renner, Marcus	Sandlin, Toney
Jakes, Helen	Moore, Thelma	Rhein, Louis	Schroll, Bennie
Joergens, Lorinda	Marvel, Grace	Rodenmeyer, William	Severit, George
Joergens, Lorraine	Miller, Sophie	Rehg, Norman	Stumph, Eugene
Jobe, Lawrence	Muren, Clementine	Rhein, Jean	Truttmann, Everett
Janden, Edwin	Mantle, Helen	Rhein, Edith	Thompson, Robert
Junior, Carl	McKenzie, Ruth	Raah, John	Taylor, Evelyn
Johnson, Justine	Mensing, Ralph	Rohr, Raymond	Tiedemann, Norma
Junck, Leslie	Million, Keith	Reeder, Martha	Tiemann, Margaret
Kronenberger, Aurelia	Maddox, Billy	Roach, Charlotte	Tiedemann, Anne
Kanyer, Marco	Merrills, Virginia	Ross, Gladys	Trolard, Mary Fern
Kniepkamp, Edith	Meyer, Dorothy	Ruebelman, Helen	Tuncil, Lauretta
Katz, Esther	Meyer, Mary	Russel, Arthur	Twesten, Marguerite
Klock, Helen	McKelvey, Ralph	Schwesig, Ethel	Uhley, Irene
Klemme, Aurelia	McKinley, Dean	Schmidt, Helen	Uhley, Paula
Kaltenbronn, Aurelia	Mannle, Carl	Sexton, Alice	Vogel, Ervin
King, Opal	Milburn, Russel	Schwartz, Mary	Voland, Orbon
Krupp, Marcella	Medhurst, Marjorie	Steinkopf, Mary	Voelker, Arthur
Kimberlin, Elvira	Martini, Marguerite	Schmisser, Magdalene	Verderber, William
Kaltwasser, Betty	Mueller, Clarence	Schad, Melba	Verges, Marie
Kaiser, Dolly	Nold, George	Spitz, Ruth	Voegtler, Ruth
Kopf, Rosejulian	Norhtcutt, Burnard	Schmittling, Dorothy	Vogel, Margaret
Kern, Phillip	Nast, Edgar	Schwellensattle, Ardelle	Villhardt, Russel
Keller, Milton	Neuner, Andrew	Schmidt, Kathaleen	Voelkel, Walter
Klein, Clyde	Nowlin, Edna Mae	Salomone, Angelo	Wadell, James
Klotz, Norman	Nebgen, Melba	Schad, Eleanor	Werle, Kathleen,
Kapes, Edward	Nesbit, Helen	Stein, Helen	Weidlein, Frances
Kennick, Samuel, Jr.	Neff, Agnes	Schrauth, Verona	Waigand, Agnella
Kloas, Arthur	Nicholson, Thomas	Spitznass, Martin	Westwood, Dorothy
Kolda, Alby	Oleson, Theodore	Semmelroth, Herbert K.	Wiskamp, Edith
Knobeloch, Roy	Oesterle, Robert	Shive, Billy	Wiley, Lillie
Krupp, Russel	Ott, Florence	Soupup, Billy	Weygandt, Pearlina
Kelly, Edward	Olerdorf, Simona	Schrader, Vernon	Wasem, Lorene
Kraemer, Norman	Olendorf, Gus	Schnipper, Carlos	Williams, Viola
Kuhn, Harry	Palmer, Margaret	Smallwood, Marshall	Wamser, Delores
Keck, Frances	Pfeiffer, Irene	Sexton, Arthur	Waldman, June
Koderhandt, Melba	Porterfield, Glenda	Schwartz, William, Jr.	Weingaertner, Marie
Kroenig, Ruth	Pierce, Quinton A.	Stahl, Edgar	Wilson, Arvilla
Kashley, Beulah	Pierce, Orville	Saenger, Louis	Wissehr, Henrietta
Knowles, Wm.	Patterson, Farrel	Schmale, John	Wissehr, Norman
Kelley, Francis	Price, James	Swancutt, Billy	Weygandt, Junior
Lucas, Mildred	Popp, William	Smith, Beryl	Werashka, Charles
Lautz, Blanche	Perino, Louis	Schumacher, Charles	Wathern, Forrest
Lawrence, Milba	Pelc, Frank	Seibert, Shirley	Wild, Louis
Lehman, Elmer	Papas, Chris	Stookey, David	Wiemann, Raymond
Londe, Arthur	Price, Cecelia	Schmidt, Arthur	Wiemann, Wilbur
Lippert, Stuart	Pacini, Alberta	Schramm, Henry	Weidmann, Homer
Luehder, Roland	Petri, Wilbert	Schad, John	Waddell, Frank
Lasco, Melvin	Powell, Kenneth	Schildroth, George	Wagener, Walter
Lepper, Anita	Randolph, Winifred	Schmidt, Walter	Wild, Malcolm
Luther, Stephen	Reck, Evelyn	Stockman, Charles	Walker, Alice
Lister, James	Ropiequet, Katherine	Sapp, Morris	Wamser, Ruth
Lapin, Eva	Rose, Evelyn	Smallwood, Thomas	Wagner, Walter
Lapin, Isadore	Rohman, May	Storck, Harold	Welz, Roland
Lauf, Richard	Roesch, Marie	Saeger, Karl	Wiget, Everett
Luke, Kenneth	Rountree, Bonnie	Scherer, Emil	Willmann, Eugene
Lachrup, Margaret	Ruhman, Verna	Stallings, Thomas	Weil, Arthur
Lougeay, Paul	Randle, William	Skaer, Russel	Zepin, Charlotte
Lindow, Emil	Ross, Kenneth	Schlueter, Dorothy	Zollner, Myrtle
Loeffler, Leroy	Raah, Henry	Saeger, Wilbur	Zbornak, Mae
Milstead, Bonniefaye	Rucker, John	Schifferdecker, Thomas	Zerweck, Harriet
Mueller, Wilbur	Rosenthal, George	Schneidewind, John	Zink, Melchoir

CLASS OF 1931

Abendroth, Glenn	Washington University
Andres, Dorothy	Home
Ash, Marion	Home
Bauman, Doris	Home
Bechtloff, Helen	Home
Beers, Gordon	McKendree College
Bien, Kenneth	Post Graduate Course
Braun, Rita	Southern Illinois State Normal
Bonhard, John	Home
Bopp, Harlan	Kissel's Pharmacy
Casperson, James	Illinois College
Cole, Caroline	Home
Cowles, Bettie	Jewish School of Nursing
Daesch, Catherine	Kresge's 5 and 10 Store
Davis, Norman	Home
Dent, Ruby	Kresge's 5 and 10 Store
Diehl, Jean	Commercial College
Deppe, Dorothy	Post Graduate Course
Dintleman, Dorothy	McKendree College
Dew, Blanche	Washington University
Drayton, Marshall	Twenhoeffel Insurance Co.
Eckert, Lucille	Carbondale
Eckert, Vernon	University of Illinois
Ebel, Richard	Home
Eidman, Arthur	Carleton, Northfield, Minn.
Emig, Erna	MacMurray's Women's College
Fleischbein, Annette	Lindenwood College
Freeman, Mae Elizabeth	Home
Fincke, Ruth	Home
Feickert, Annalouise	Illinois State Normal
Feder, Gladys	Home
Friedrich, Helen	Washington University
Fellner, Herbert	Purdue University
Fischer, Eugene	Washington University
Farrimond, William	Post Graduate Course
Faber, Robert	University of Illinois
Guenther, Carl	Home
Goldberg, Eugene	Washington University
Gibson, Norma Lee	Stenographer in Boy Scout Office
Gould, Kathryn	Home
Hary, Clifta	Jaqueline Beauty Shop
Huetting, Virginia	Southern Illinois State Normal
Hoehner, Eloise	Monticello Seminary
Hueblein, Shirley	Stenographer for Allen & Trabue
Helmkamp, Catherine	McKendree College
Herman, Arthur	Normal School, A. G. U.
Jaeckel, Paul	Washington University
Jacobs, Mercedes	Knapp-Monarch
Kniepkamp, Esther	Studying Nursing at Lutheran Hospital
Keller, Elsa	Southern Illinois State Normal
Katz, Rose	Auerbach's Pants Factory
Kaufman, Mildred	Stenographer at Illinois Power & Light Co.
Kemper, Melvin	Home
Kane, Karl	St. Louis University
Kloess, Howard	Washington University
Keck, Freddie	Home
Knefelkamp, Paul	Home

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THE BELLEVINOIS

Leber, George	Home
LePere, Ralph	Working at Home
LeChien, Eugene	Home
Luetzelschwab, Roland	University of Illinois
Linehan, Lucille	Working at Home
Leopold, Virginia	Home
LeChien, Leona	Post Graduate Course
Monken, Mildred	Home
Medhurst, Dorothy	Christian Welfare Hospital
Mueller, Marjorie	Weil-Kolter Factory
McCullough, Ruth	Working McCullough's Grocery Store
Martin, Gertrude	Deceased
Miller, Marshall	University of Illinois
Nowlin, Paul	Working at Home
Nesbit, Arthur	Working at Home
Nosbisch, Helen	Home
Nowlin, Lois	Greenville College
Orr, Francis	Washington University
Patterson, Martha	Jewish School of Nursing
Pepperkorn, Lenna	Illinois College
Pharis, Robert	Working in East St. Louis
Ranney, Robert	Salesman
Rutz, John	Home
Ruff, Fred	Working at Elks
Rehbein, Ethel	Home
Stevenson, La Berne	McKendree College
Siddall, Verna	Bradley Polytechnic Institution
Schlueter, Lorene	Stenographer
Stiehl, Elmer	University of Illinois
Schwesig, Aloys	Working
Shive, John	Purdue University
Spirtas, Irvin	Working
Steuernagel, George	Working
Smyth, Harold	Working at Home
Spies, Russell	Rankin Trade School
Stoltz, Vivian	Home
Schlesinger, Lucille	Southern Illinois State Normal
Stefanoff, Eleanor	Southern Illinois State Normal
Skidmore, Francis	Nursing School
Schifferdecker, Aurelia	Home
Seibert, Inez	Home
Sandlin, Helen	Stenographer at Dr. Nesbit's Office
Schmalenberger, Ruth	McKendree College
Schofield, Alice	Southern Illinois State Normal
Sergent, Frankie	St. Louis Beauty Culture School
Taylor, Estella Mae	McKendree College
Voelkel, Elizabeth	Home
Veile, Ilma	Home
Wieckert, Eleanor	Knox College
Wangelin, Jessie	Home
Werkmeister, Mildred	Southern Illinois State Normal
Wilson, Kathryn	James Milliken University
Weidlein, Bernice	Post Graduate Course
Winkler, Edna Mae	Bradley Polytechnic Institution
Woodrome, Marshall	Working at Home
Wald, Israel	Selfridge Field, Michigan
Wagner, Oliver	Stenographer at Spirtas Pants Factory
Wessel, Ralph	Southern Illinois State Normal

CURRICULA

	1	2	3	4
FINE ARTS	English Arts and Crafts Algebra Biology	English Arts and Crafts Geometry Elective	English Hist. of Music Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives $1\frac{1}{2}$	English Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives $\frac{1}{2}$
VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE	English Voc. Ag. Biology Elective	English Voc. Ag. Ec. Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Elective $\frac{1}{2}$	English Voc. Ag. Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives $1\frac{1}{2}$	English Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives 2
GENERAL INDUSTRIAL	English Shop Prac. or Alg. Mechanical Biology	English Shop Practice Mech. Drawing Geom. or Ec. Civics	English Shop Practice Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$	English Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$
COMMERCIAL	English Bookkeeping Biology Penmanship $\frac{1}{2}$ Bus. Arith. $\frac{1}{2}$ or vocations $\frac{1}{2}$	English Whole Bookkeeping Corporation $\frac{1}{2}$ Com. Geog. $\frac{1}{2}$ or Ec. Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Com. Law $\frac{1}{2}$ Com. Arith. $\frac{1}{2}$	English Sales. $\frac{1}{2}$ Accounting Advertising $\frac{1}{2}$ Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Elective $\frac{1}{2}$	English Economics $\frac{1}{2}$ Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Sociology $\frac{1}{2}$ Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Elective 1
GENERAL	English Biology Electives 2	English Electives 3	English Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives $2\frac{1}{2}$	English Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives 2
CLASSICAL	English Latin Biology Algebra	English Latin Anc. Hist. Geometry	English Latin Mod. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives 1	English Latin Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives 1

CURRICULA (Continued)

	1	2	3	4
MODERN LANGUAGE	English French or Ger. Algebra Biology	English French or Ger. Geometry Elective	English Spanish Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives $1\frac{1}{2}$	English Spanish Am. Hist. Electives 1 Civics $\frac{1}{2}$
SCIENTIFIC	English Biology French or Ger. Algebra	English Botany French or Ger. Geometry Physiography	English Chm. or Zoology Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Geometry $\frac{1}{2}$ Algebra $\frac{1}{2}$ Elective $\frac{1}{2}$	English Physics Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Trig. $\frac{1}{2}$ College Alg. $\frac{1}{2}$ Civics $\frac{1}{2}$
HOME ECONOMICS	English Biology Dom. Science Dom. Art Des.	English Textiles $\frac{1}{2}$ Com. Geog. $\frac{1}{2}$ Domestic Science Dom. Art	English Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives $1\frac{1}{2}$	English Am. Hist. $\frac{1}{2}$ Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Electives $1\frac{1}{2}$
STENO- GRAPHIC	English Stenography Typing Biology or Vocations $\frac{1}{2}$	English Stenography Typing Com. Geog. $\frac{1}{2}$ Ec. Civics $\frac{1}{2}$		
BUSINESS	English Bookkeeping Biology or Vocations $\frac{1}{2}$ Penmanship $\frac{1}{2}$ Bus. Arith. $\frac{1}{2}$	English Bookkeeping Com. Geog. $\frac{1}{2}$ Com. Geog. $\frac{1}{2}$ or Ec. Civics $\frac{1}{2}$ Typing		

Outline of Courses

FRESHMEN

English	Shop Practice	Vocations ½
Algebra	Home Economics	Stenography
Biology	Domestic Art Design	Typing
Latin	General Agriculture	Music Appreciation
German	Bookkeeping	Piano
French	Vocational Agriculture	Chorus
Ancient History ½	Business Arithmetic ½	Orchestra
Arts and Crafts		Gym

SOPHOMORE

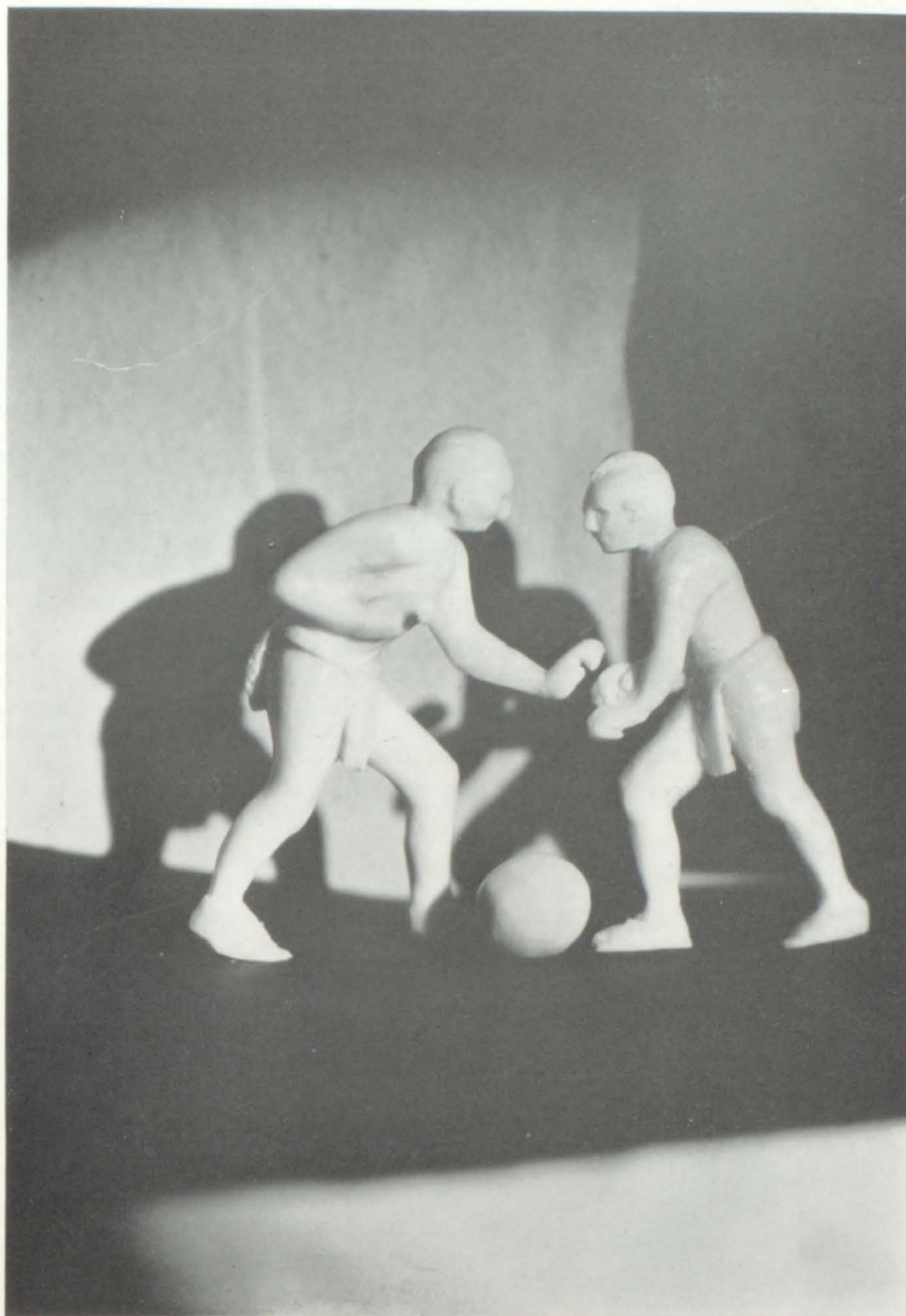
English	Mechanical Drawing	Transcript, Business Prac. ½
Geometry	Shop Practice	Commercial Geography ½
Medieval History	Home Economics	Commercial Law ½
Physiography	Agriculture	Commercial Arithmetic ½
Botany	Bookkeeping	Piano
Latin	Stenography	Theory and Harmony
German	Typing	Chorus
French	Economic Civics ½	Orchestra
Arts and Crafts		Gym

JUNIOR

English	Spanish	History of Music
Advanced Algebra ½	German	Shop Practice
Solid Geometry ½	English History ½	Accountancy
Zoology	Modern History ½	Salesmanship ½
Chemistry	American History ½	Advertising ½
Vocational Agriculture	Home Making	Piano
Stenography	Arts and Crafts	Chorus
Latin	Mechanical Drawing	Gym

SENIOR

English ½	Economics ½	Shop Practice
Journalism ½	Physics	Home Economics
Public Speaking ½	Sociology ½	Arts and Crafts
American History ½	Trigonometry ½	Piano
Latin	College Algebra ½	Orchestra
Spanish	Mechanical Drawing	Chorus
Civics ½		Gym



Soap Carving by

Doris Horn

ATHLETICS



FOOTBALL SQUAD

Top row, left to right—Schmisseur, Becker, Adrian, Wild, Zaber, Capone, Voelkel, Harper, Erwin, Kaufman, Don Wangelin, Lutz, Green.

Second row—Coach Gunderson, Beers, Hanson, Walker, Biggs, Buxton, Stonewater, Saint Eve, Briesacher, Cole, Peterson, Holt, Neu, Ted Smith, Johnson, Hambleton, Dick Schwartz, Randle, Cross, Rauth, Taylor, Manager Mertz.

Third row—Asst. Manager Schifferdecker, Gent, William Schwartz, Schroeder, Hobbs, Hammel, Londe, Fisher, Otwell, Baer, Reheis, Middlecoff, Healy, Hirth, Dick Wangelin, Henry Smith, Tisch.

Bottom row—Tritt, Hoffman, Wissehr, Lehman, Patterson, Bien, Mensinger, Oesterle, Stoecklin, Kennick, Luther, Junior, Ross, Neuner, Rodenmeyer, Kelly, Smith, Don Mertz, McDaniels.



Coach Gunderson

1931 was another successful season for the most capable and youthful coach in the conference. Weather unsuited to his team's ability in the last few games was the only factor that kept "Gundy" from perfecting another championship combination.

Football Squad Personnel

LESLIE COLE—Guard

This was the fourth year of football for the Maroon captain. His performance this season led to his unanimous choice as guard on the all-conference team. A hard tackler, a sure blocker, and a fighting, leading spirit combined to make him the foremost linesman in the conference. He will be greatly missed next season.

EDWARD SAINT EVE—Quarterback

Another unanimous all-conference selection; Eddy gained his honors by being the most dependable ball carrier in the Maroon backfield although handicapped by his light weight. But Eddy will not be back next season to flash around the ends and hurl forward passes for Coach Gundy.

BERNARD WALKER—End

Bumps came to High School from Cathedral high just two seasons ago, and this year marked his first appearance as a regular. His outstanding work was turned in during the East Side game. He was the only Maroon on the second all-star team.

RAYMOND SCHMISSEUR—Guard

Ray, the fighting farmer, made his second and last season of football his best. Paired with Cole, the two made the greatest guard combination of the conference, and the plays that went through either guard post were few and far between.

ELMER RANDLE—Tackle

Chub turned in a good enough all-around performance during the season to rate him honorable mention on the coaches all-star eleven. What he lacked in size he made up in speed, there being few punts that outdistanced Chub. He will not be back next season.

HAROLD ERVIN—Center

Another honorable mention player. Ervin outplayed every center he went up against, but was not selected on any star team. A good passer and blocker, he showed his grit by sticking through the East Side game although badly injured.

NORMAN STONEWATER—End

Norm earned his second football letter this past season, and will not be back next fall. A dependable end, he specialized in breaking up opponent's off-tackle and end runs.

AUBREY GREEN—End

Salty seemed to be the only end who could catch passes in crucial moments this season, and he put several games on ice by performing this one particular stunt. Another senior who will be lost to next year's squad.

HERBERT BECKER—Fullback

Belleville's outstanding line plunger. Herb will always be remembered for his performance in the Woodriver game when he outdid his usual quiet performance and carried the ball almost seventy yards single handed to win the game. Herb has another year ahead of him.

HOWARD BIGGS—Halfback

A flashy player. Biggs earned the title of "Blonde Blizzard" before many games had gone by. He could always be counted on for a few extra yards. He will be back next year.

QUINCY BUXTON—Halfback

The smallest man on the team, Buck outdid himself by becoming the hardest tackler on the squad. He would drive in from his halfback post to smear enemy runs behind the scrimmage line. Buck will be back next year.

LEROY HOLT—Halfback

Lee was handicapped the greater part of the season with a badly wrenched shoulder, but that only made him make the most of his opportunities in the game. Holt deserves a lot of credit for playing games in which he had to throw blocks instead of tackling opposing runners. He returns next season.

FREDERICK LUTZ—Fullback

Peppy had the most driving power of any backfield man on the squad, and this was emphasized by his outstanding performance in the Carlyle game. He was always good for yardage when it was needed. Lutz will be with us next fall.

JOHN RAUTH—Halfback

John's fourth year on the squad was rewarded by his earning of a letter. Rauth had all the fight and pep in him that was needed for an entire eleven men, and he kept many a regular working for his post.

GILBERT HAMBLETON—Halfback

Another fourth year man earning his first gridiron letter. He played with spirit and enthusiasm and always turned in a good blocking game with not a few flashy runs.

THEODORE SMITH—Tackle

This was Ted's second year on the squad and his first letter season. He will be back to strengthen the left side of the line next season.

HERBERT KAUFMAN—Center

The tallest man on the squad, he was greatly handicapped by spending the greater part of the games with his arm in a cast. A regular center until the injury, he came back just as strong after his arm had healed. A valuable man to the squad, Herb will be missed next year.

ZANE ZABER—Tackle

A dependable reserve, Zane made his presence felt by stopping thrusts at his side of the line. Another year for this man.

DON WANGELIN—Guard

Don was a quiet, easy-going chap, who plugged up many a hole at guard with his light weight. His first year as a letterman he will be serving next fall under Maroon colors.

1931 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 19.....	Belleville 12—Sparta 6.....	Here
Sept. 26.....	Belleville 0—Kirkwood 12.....	There
Oct. 2.....	Belleville 25—Carlyle 0.....	Here
Oct. 10.....	Belleville 13—Granite City 12.....	There
Oct. 17.....	Belleville 14—Madison 0.....	There
Oct. 30.....	Belleville 12—Collinsville 0.....	Here
Nov. 6.....	Belleville 6—Alton 0.....	There
Nov. 13.....	Belleville 7—Woodriver 0.....	Here
Nov. 21.....	Belleville 0—Edwardsville 0.....	Here
Nov. 27.....	Belleville 0—East St. Louis 20.....	There
Dec. 2.....	Belleville 0—Alumni 9.....	Here

BELLEVILLE 12—SPARTA 6

Belleville opened the 1931 season on September 19th, with a hard earned victory over the Sparta Blue Streaks on the Maroon gridiron. In spite of the hot weather, both elevens showed a great deal of aggressiveness and fighting spirit.

The Maroons' first score came within two minutes of the opening kickoff. Captain Leslie Cole blocked a punt and several Maroon-jerseyed linesmen fell on the ball for the score. A passing attack in the second quarter gave Sparta their only touchdown. In the last quarter, with the score tied, Eddy Saint Eve ran back a Sparta punt from midfield, behind perfect interference, to score the eventual winning touchdown.

After the kickoff, Sparta started a drive that carried them to the very goal line, where the Maroons held and took over the ball for the few remaining seconds.

KIRKWOOD 12—BELLEVILLE 0.

The Maroon and White team lost their first game on September 26th, when they dropped a practice encounter to the well-trained Kirkwood High eleven on the Missouriian's field. The victors combined a passing game with a splendid blocking offensive that resulted in long gains and had the Maroons almost constantly in their own territory.

After a scoreless half, in which the Maroons outplayed their host, the Scarlet eleven made up for lost time immediately after the second half kickoff. They blocked Saint Eve's punt on the ten-yard stripe, recovered the ball, and in two plays, had smashed through for a score. Their last touchdown came in the fourth quarter. Line plunges and end runs were alternated to annex this second score.

Belleville's guards, Les Cole and Ray Schmisser, stood out in the forward wall. Johnny Rauth and Herb Becker were the most consistent ground gainers in the backfield, while Eddy Saint Eve got off some neat end runs.

BELLEVILLE 25—CARLYLE 0.

The Gundersonites had no difficulty in pounding out a quartet of touchdowns to win over the Carlyle Indians on the local field on October 2nd, in the last practice game before the Conference opener with Granite City. At no time during the tussle did the Maroons have their full strength in the lineup.

The Devils piled up three touchdowns in the first half and one in the second half. Salty Green scored on a long pass in the opening minutes of play, and Cole fell on a fumble in the end zone for another first quarter score. Lutz plunged over in the second quarter to make the score 18 to 0. Saint Eve circled the wings to score in the last quarter, and then passed to Green for the only extra point.

BELLEVILLE 13—GRANITE CITY 12.

Belleville opened their Southwestern Conference season on October 10th, at Granite City by throwing a wrench into the championship machinery of the defending champions. A stirring last quarter rally enabled the Maroons to take victory out of seemingly certain defeat.

Maroon fans who saw the game had all but given up hope in the last quarter, with the Maroons losing by a 12 to 7 score and with less than five minutes to play. Lutz had plunged over in the second quarter for the first score of the game and Becker had annexed the extra point. Then Granite had recovered, and scoring in the second and third quarters, had things much their own way, keeping the ball in Maroon territory, and when checked by the Devils, would punt, assume the defensive, and stop the Belleville attack.

With but a short time to play, Belleville rallied. From deep in Granite territory, two long passes and a few running plays put them within the opposing fifteen yard marker with first down to go. Plunges gave them another first down on the two-yard stripe, from where it took Herb Becker three plunges to put it across.

Captain Cole, Schmisser, and Walkér were outstanding in the line, while Becker and Lutz played good offensive games in the backfield. Lee Holt threw the passes that paved the way for the winning score.

BELLEVILLE 14—MADISON 0.

The Maroons annexed their second league victory on October 17th, when they defeated the Hubtowners on the losers' field.

Belleville played anything but the type of football they had displayed against the Steelworkers on the preceding Saturday. The Devils were seemingly unable to keep from fumbling. The game was necessarily ragged and despite several thrilling situations, made a dull and discouraging contest to view.

Belleville showed a weak defense against the overhead game of Madison, who with a last half serial attack threatened for a while to turn the game in the Hubtowners' favor, until bad judgment on the part of Madison caused the loss of scoring opportunities.

Becker plunged in the second quarter for a touchdown, and Randle scooped up a fumble for the extra point. Walker caught a long pass in the last quarter to step across the line, and Bumps also snagged a pass from Saint Eve for the extra point.

BELLEVILLE 12—COLLINSVILLE 0.

The Gundersonites capped the Alumni Homecoming celebration with a well-played victory over the Kahoks on Friday, October 30th, on the local field. The victory made it three in a row for the Maroon outfit, and the 800 fans who saw this league triumph witnessed a neat brand of football.

A blocked kick in the early part of the second quarter by Leslie Cole started the Maroon eleven on an offensive drive that kept the game well in hand at all times. Although the Maroon attack failed to come through when the leather was on the goal line on two occasions, the fact that a substitute backfield played the major part of the game contains the explanation.

Saint Eve and Biggs scored the Maroon touchdowns, Eddy going over for the first score just before the half closed on a run of twenty yards. A pass from Saint Eve to Biggs in the third quarter concluded the scoring.

BELLEVILLE 6—ALTON 0.

It was Eddy Saint Eve's ninety-five yard runback of the opening kickoff at the Redbird field on the night of November 6th, for the game's only score that kept the Belleville Maroons in the league lead with four victories and no defeats.

With the exception of the first quarter, Belleville was outplayed by the fighting Alton eleven, who gave the many Belleville fans a thrill in the third quarter when they advanced as far as the four-yard line with four downs to make the distance. But Belleville's line dug in and held the Red and Gray backs for four successive attempts to cross the last white line.

Belleville's center trio, Ervin, Cole and Schmisser, were the outstanding members of the line, with Salty Green at end coming in for some honors. Saint Eve was the outstanding back. Several times Eddy came through on defensive play, when Alton ball-carriers had broken clear and were off on a touchdown sprint, only to be chopped down by the Maroon and White safety.

BELLEVILLE 7—WOODRIVER 0.

Once more, the Maroons were hard pressed to win another conference game, this time the threats being the Woodriver Oilers, who gave the Maroons all they had for a full four quarters on a muddy field at Belleville on November 13th.

It remained for Herb Becker to capture individual honors when the plunging Maroon fullback lived up to his conference reputation in the closing minutes of the last quarter, advancing the ball almost single-handed from deep Belleville territory until it was across the goal line for the winning score. Herb also annexed the extra point.

To the 800 fans who saw the game, the teams appeared evenly matched, but such was not the case, for Belleville far outclassed the visitors. They made eleven first downs to three, held Woodriver from crossing the middle of the field, and outpassed the visitors. The Maroons had several scoring opportunities, but could not drive hard enough to take advantage of them.

BELLEVILLE 0—EDWARDSVILLE 0.

The Edwardsville Tigers took advantage of a slippery, muddy field on the afternoon of November 21st, to display their best football of the season and hold the pennant-headed Maroons to a scoreless tie on the Devil's gridiron.

This was the third successive conference game in which the Belleville contingent had a close call, and although the result of this game did not materially lessen the chances of the Gundersonites, it took the edge off their confidence.

Edwardsville had many chances to score in the second and third quarters with the wind at their backs. Belleville's punts, tossed by the miniature gale, never traveled over twenty yards, and in a few plays, the Bengals would again be knocking at the goal line.

Belleville had their chance in the final quarter when Saint Eve made a thrilling end run to place the leather within the twenty-yard line, but two passes went awry, and the Tigers took over the ball, thus killing the Maroons' last opportunity to continue their winning streak in the league.

EAST ST. LOUIS 20—BELLEVILLE 0.

The Maroons and the Flyers clashed at Parson's Field in East Side on Turkey Day morning with the championship of the loop depending on the result of the game. The first snow of the year fell on that morning, and it turned the field into a quagmire that absolutely killed the chances of the lighter Belleville eleven against the heavy Flyer machine.

Frank Kavalier, East Side captain, and captain and fullback of the mythical all-State eleven, was at his best against the Maroons. The 8000 spectators who shivered through the one-sided contest saw the men of Coach Gunderson put up a game scrap against the overwhelming combination of weight, weather, and playing field.

The gridiron was adapted to the heavy Flyers, who outweighed the Maroons by a twelve-pound margin per man. East Side's gains were made almost entirely through the line, the backs following in the wake of the Orange and Blue linesmen who had but to push in and shove the lighter Maroon forwards back over the slippery surface.

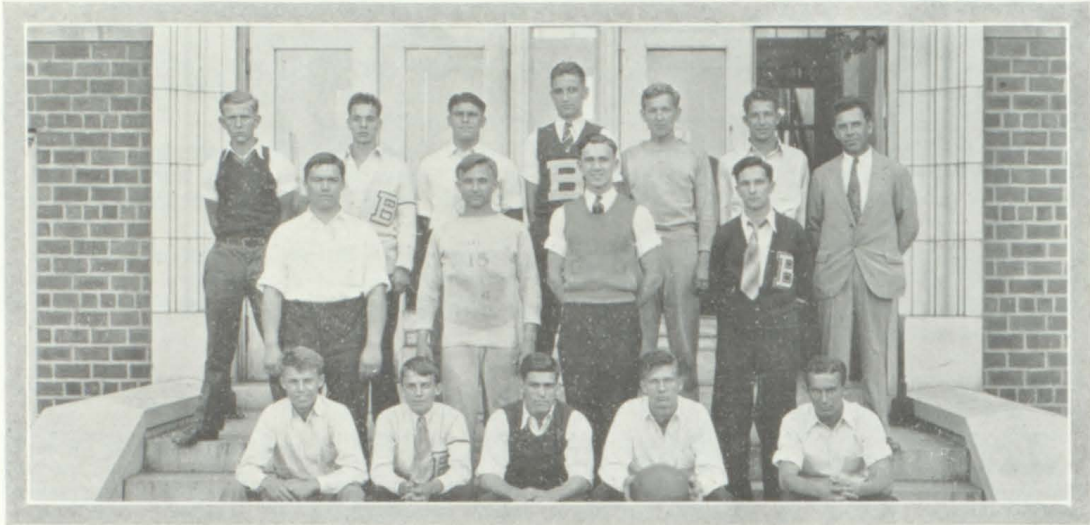
Belleville held the score to 7 to 0 for the first half and the greater part of the third quarter, but weakened before the attack of the new champions. Eddy Saint Eve was the Maroons' outstanding backfield man. Eddy was greatly handicapped by the poorly conditioned field, but made several nice runs for considerable yardage. Les Cole at guard had no trouble in breaking through the East Side line, but the Flyer backs had enough start to slide from his grasp.

ALUMNI 9—BELLEVILLE 0.

The Maroons brought the gridiron sport to a close on Wednesday, December 2nd, when they took a sound trouncing from the graduates of the high school on the school field.

Brick Ehret was the graduate who was responsible for all of the victors' points. Ehret place-kicked a neat thirty yard field goal in the second quarter and plunged over the goal line in the last quarter for a touchdown.

The field was not in very good condition, and with the week lay-off from practice taking the edge off the students teamwork, the heavier alumni team had things much their own way. The Maroons started clicking toward the end of the game, starting on a touchdown drive that was stopped only by the final whistle.



BASKETBALL SQUAD

First Row—Biggs, Lowery, Cole, Stonewater, Schwartz,
 Second Row—Manager Mertz, Saint Eve, Stegmeyer, Ruhman,
 Third Row—Manager Knefelkamp, Holt, Smith, Kaufman, Zaber, Green, Coach Friedli.

COACH FRIEDLI

This was Coach Friedli's fifteenth year of coaching the Maroon and White cage teams. His efforts were not as successful this year as in previous seasons due to the lack of material. However, he created a team that was able to give other schools a run for their money, and at times, defeat superior teams, as is evidenced by the time that his charges defeated the East St. Louis Flyers, depriving them of an individual championship.





TRACK SQUAD

First Row—Knefelkamp, Brown, Hardt, Heely, Harper, Schifferdecker, Dunck, Smallwood, Randle, Storck.
 Second Row—Mr. Cross, Manager Smith, Merck, Capone, Hambleton, Saint Eve, Cole, Lutz, Haubrich, Coach Gunderson, Hansun.

Track Schedule

April 8	East St. Louis	Here
April 14	Granite City	There
April 27	Dupo	There
April 30	Conference Relays	Granite
May 5	Madison	Here
May 14	District Meet	Lebanon
May 28	Conference Meet	Edwardsville

Although Belleville won but one of their four dual meets, the Dupo contest, they possessed a well-balanced squad, one which gave the other conference schools a good deal of competition in the league meet.

The most frequent point scorers on this year's team were Brown, Hardt, Merck, Hambleton, Randle, Saint Eve, and Cole.

Basketball Team Personnel

LESLIE COLE—Guard

This was Cole's third and last year on a Maroon and White squad. Les was acting captain in all of the games, and he was the mainstay of the team on both offense and defense. He led the Maroon scorers from his guard post with ninety-eight points.

RAYMOND LOWERY—Forward

"Boots" was the smallest regular in the Southwestern Conference, and in spite of his size, was a thorn in the side of all formidable opponents. East Side remembers him well, for his scoring efforts cost them an undisputed league title. This was Boots' first and last year on the team, for he graduates in June.

THEODORE SMITH—Forward

Ted was Belleville's second highest scoring man, being only a few points behind Cole. Ted was a regular forward all season for the Devils and his left-handed push shots made many opposing guards wish he was on the bench. This was Smith's second year on the team, but his first cage letter. He will be back next year.

NORMAN STONEWATER—Center

"Stoney" put up many a good scrap at the pivot post for the Belleville quintet during the past season. He has played his last game for the Maroons. This was his first year on the squad and his first letter in the hardwood sport.

CHARLES STEGMAYER—Guard

Another first year man who graduates after earning his letter. Stegmeyer always fought hard and gave his utmost in Belleville games. Although he had but little experience prior to this year, he held his opponents to very few baskets.

HOWARD BIGGS—Guard

The "Blonde Blizzard" is the fifth senior on this year's lettermen roster. Although this was his first year on the squad, he played a good defensive game at guard, and had an uncanny eye for the basket on long shots.

GORDON SMYTH—Forward

Another small man, "Blackie" held his own with the biggest and best in the Southwestern Conference. Smyth will be back next year to pair up with Ted Smith and form the nucleus for another one of Coach Friedli's quintets.

Tournament

For the first time in the history of the school, the Belleville Maroons were eliminated in the first round of the district tournament held at this school from March 8th to March 12th, inclusive. O'Fallon was the team that dropped the Maroon and White from the running, defeating the men of Coach Friedli on the second night of the tourney by a 37-22 score.

O'Fallon fell before East St. Louis in the next round, and the Flyers then continued on to the finals, where they met Dupo, who had advanced to the last round by virtue of three victories in their earlier games. Dupo upset the Orange and Blue in the last night's game by a score of 22-21. This victory gave the Oilers the right to represent this section in the Johnson City tournament, and at the same time, a lucky draw also allowed East St. Louis to enter the sectional.

1931-1932 Basketball Schedule

Nov. 3	Belleville 20—Mascoutah 37	There
Nov. 14	Belleville 13—Lebanon 12	There
Nov. 28	Belleville 14—O'Fallon 20	Here
Dec. 4	Belleville 19—Centralia 15	There
Dec. 8	Belleville 9—O'Fallon 25	There
Dec. 12	Belleville 20—Lebanon 13	Here
*Dec. 18	Belleville 8—Alton 20	There
Dec. 19	Belleville 13—Freeburg 26	There
Jan. 2	Belleville 22—Centralia 18	Here
*Jan. 5	Belleville 15—Granite City 31	There
*Jan. 8	Belleville 23—Woodriver 13	There
*Jan. 12	Belleville 8—East St. Louis 20	There
*Jan. 15	Belleville 17—Collinsville 29	Here
*Jan. 19	Belleville 19—Madison 26	There
*Jan. 22	Belleville 31—Edwardsville 17	Here
*Jan. 26	Belleville 13—Alton 17	Here
*Jan. 29	Belleville 26—Granite City 32	There
*Feb. 2	Belleville 32—Woodriver 16	Here
*Feb. 5	Belleville 27—East St. Louis 26	Here
*Feb. 9	Belleville 10—Collinsville 26	There
*Feb. 12	Belleville 16—Madison 26	Here
*Feb. 19	Belleville 27—Edwardsville 23	There
Feb. 23	Belleville 29—Freeburg 20	Here
Feb. 26	Belleville 23—Mt. Vernon 51	There

* Conference Games.

District Tournament—March 9, 10, 11, 12.

Review of the 1931-1932 Basketball Season

20-37. The Maroons opened the cage season at Mascoutah, losing to the Indians by a safe score. It was anybody's game until the third quarter, when the Purple pulled ahead from the Maroons, who were without the services of regulars playing football.

13-12. The Friedlites captured their first victory of the season, defeating the Lebanon Greyhounds in a close game on the losers' floor. Charley Stegmeyer put the game on ice in the final minute of play with an under basket shot.

14-20. The first home game with O'Fallon resulted in the season's second defeat. Football men played for the first time in the second quarter, and showed quite a few rough spots.

19-15. A last half rally enabled the Maroons to defeat the Centralia Scarlet team in an away from home tussle. Losing 12 to 8 at the midway mark, the Maroons came back strong, holding their host scoreless until the last two minutes of play and at the same time, collecting a safe majority themselves.

9-25. Belleville was hampered by O'Fallon's small floor, and suffered a decisive defeat at the hands of the smaller school. This was the season's third defeat and the second at the hands of O'Fallon.

20-13. Belleville pulled a close game out of the fire of Lebanon in the final quarter for their third victory of the year when Boots Lowery slipped a pair of much needed field goals through the loop in the closing minutes of play.

8-20. The first game in the conference was dropped to the Alton Red Birds. Alton got off to a nice lead, and were never headed, holding the Maroons to two field goals in the entire game.

13-16. On the following night, Belleville traveled to Freeburg, where they were defeated by a fast-breating Blue and White quintet. The victors' style of play was too fast for the Maroon men's defense after the slow game at Alton the preceding night.

22-18. Once more the Maroons handed the Centralia Reds a second defeat in a rough game played on the local floor. Les Cole and Boots Lowery came through in the final quarter to put the game on ice with a barrage of field goals.

15-31. The Maroons were dropped into the cellar when Granite City handed them their second league defeat and their sixth seasonal defeat in ten starts. The Steelworkers were never in danger after the first quarter.

23-13. The Maroons won their first league victory when they tripped Woodriver on the Oilers' floor. Ted Smith led the Maroon scorers with nine points.

8-20. Belleville's traditional rivals, East Side, had a hard time beating the Maroons until a third quarter rally caved in the Maroons' defense.

17-19. The Collinsville Kahoks administered a sound defeat to the Devils on the local floor, dropping the Maroons to the cellar level for the second time during the season.

19-26. The Madison Hubtowners handed the Maroons their fifth defeat in six starts in league play. The loss kept the Maroons in a tie with Edwardsville for last place.

31-17. The Edwardsville Tigers and Maroons met on the home floor to decide the occupant of the cellar post at the close of the half season mark, with the result that the Maroons piled up a one-sided score and elevated themselves to sixth place.

13-17. Alton seemed to have a jinx on the Maroons this season, for with a team that was not a bit better than the Belleville club, they handed the Devils another decisive defeat, although the score indicates a close game.

26-32. Granite City was hard pressed to win from the Maroons in the second encounter of the season between the two schools. Belleville led the majority of the game, but Granite bombarded the hoop in the closing moments of play to insure a victory.

32-16. Belleville went back into a tie for fifth place when they inflicted a severe defeat on the Woodriver Oilers on the home floor. The Maroons possessed the same deadly shooting eye as in the previous game.

27-26. The Maroons rose to the heights on the night of February 5th, defeating the league leading East St. Louis Flyers in a nip and tuck battle that had the large crowd on edge for the entire game. Lowery and Biggs were high-point men. The defeat for the Flyers ultimately cost them the individual championship.

10-26. In the next game with the Kahoks, the Maroons displayed a type of basketball entirely different from their three previous games. They lacked an eye for the basket, and were unable to stop the accurate Collinsville Purple cagers from hitting the hoop for points.

16-26. Madison pushed the Maroons into seventh place with a hard-fought victory on the Belleville floor. The Maroons went into seventh place as a result of the defeat.

27-23. Edwardsville almost succeeded in defeating the Maroons with a last quarter rally, but the Maroons tightened up and insured a tie for fifth place in the final conference standing. This game with the Tigers finished the conference season.

East St. Louis and Collinsville tied for first, while Granite City was third. Madison finished fourth, while Belleville and Alton tied for fifth. Woodriver was seventh and Edwardsville last.

29-20. The Maroons secured revenge for an early-season defeat at the hands of the Freeburg quintet when they pounded out a decisive victory over the Cahokia Conference entry. Les Cole played forward for the first time during the season and made sixteen points.

51-23. The Mt. Vernon Flames inflicted the severest defeat of the season upon the Belleville quintet when the Maroons visited their school. The Maroons never had a chance before their formidable opponents, who experienced little difficulty in scoring and keeping the Maroons scoreless.



BASEBALL SQUAD

Standing—Manager Kniefelkamp, Wangelin, Green, Cole, Kaufman, Schwartz, Pelz, Kulesa, Merkel, Coach Friedli.
 Seated—Harper, Schanot, Schlueter, Schifferdecker, Wild, Price, Goodall, Kniefelkamp.
 On Ground—Weisenborn, Capone.

Baseball Schedule

April 12	Mascoutah	Here—14-10
April 19	New Athens	Here—11- 7
April 26	Mascoutah	There— 4- 2
May 3	Columbia	Here— 0- 4
May 10	Columbia	There— 8- 5
May 17	East St. Louis	Here— 5- 7
May 20	New Athens	There— 8- 7
May 24	East St. Louis	There— 8- 9

Personnel of the 1932 Baseball Team

Norman Schlueter—Catcher. The most dependable player on the team, Manny is but a Sophomore, and with two more years of competition ahead of him, Coach Friedli's worries for a catcher are at an end.

Leslie Cole—First Baseman. Les, playing his second and last year on the team, fitted nicely into the strange position at first base. A good hitter and fielder, he was one of the mainstays of the team.

Aubrey Green—Third Baseman. Another returning letterman, Salty was easily the best infielder on the squad. He will be missed next season when the time comes to fill the "hot corner."

Malcolm Wild—Left Fielder. Another Sophomore who shows signs of developing into a splendid player. Mal was a good hitter, being elevated to cleanup at the end of the season.

Roy Weisenborn—Pitcher. The Maroon's regular pitcher is only a Junior. Roy has still another season to bend the leather across the plate.

Kenneth Schifferdecker—Pitcher. Kenny earned his only letter as the reserve pitcher for the Maroons in his senior year. He was a great favorite with the onlookers.

Harry Merkel—Catcher. Harry had the toughest job on the team, that of sub catcher. Harry is but a Junior, and will probably be playing a regular position next year.

Walter Kulesa—Second Basemen. A good infielder and a steady hitter, Sleepy has still another year in which to cover the keystone sack for the Maroon and White.

Edward Knaefelkamp—Shortstop. This was Ed's first year on the team, and as he is but a second year man, he has two years to improve under Coach Friedli.

Herbert Kaufman—Center Fielder. Herb played his first and last year on the team in the outfield, and there was not a ball that was able to get by the long-legged fielder. Herb was a good man at the plate in a pinch.

Marion Capone—Right Fielder. Mary earned his first letter this season in baseball, and as he is the only Freshman on the team, Belleville fans will see him perform for three more years.

Boys' Tennis Schedule

April 11	Collinsville	There
April 18	Granite City	There
April 25	Edwardsville	Here
May 2	Alton	There
May 4	Sparta	There
May 9	Madison	There
May 11	Collinsville Tournament	There
May 16	Woodriver	There
May 20-21	State Meet	Champaign
May 23	East St. Louis	Here

Girls' Tennis Schedule

April 11	Collinsville	There
April 18	Granite City	There
April 25	Edwardsville	Here
May 2	Alton	There
May 12	McKendree	There
May 16	Woodriver	There
May 23	East St. Louis	Here

Girls' Tennis Team

For the third straight conference season, Belleville won a Southwestern championship in both the girls' singles and doubles. The girls were not extended to win any of their matches.

Bernice Bien played singles and walked right through the opposition afforded by the other schools. In the doubles, Mary Helen Andel and Dorothy Hoover also had things their way.

Bernice will be back for the next two years as she is but a Sophomore. However, Mary Helen Andel graduates, and Coach Minnie Dill will have to find another player to carry on with Dorothy, who is a Junior.

Boys' Tennis Team

Coach W. H. Campbell's netmen made another good showing in the Southwestern Conference for the past season, achieving a tie for first place in the singles and a third place in the doubles.

Robert Berg, Cyril Braun and Elmer Ruehl alternated in sharing the singles crown with Alton and Madison. In the doubles, Berg and Braun alternated with Arthur Schmisser to annex five victories in seven league matches.

Schmisser and Berg were the returning lettermen and will be lost to the squad through graduation. However, Braun is but a Sophomore and Ruehl a Junior.



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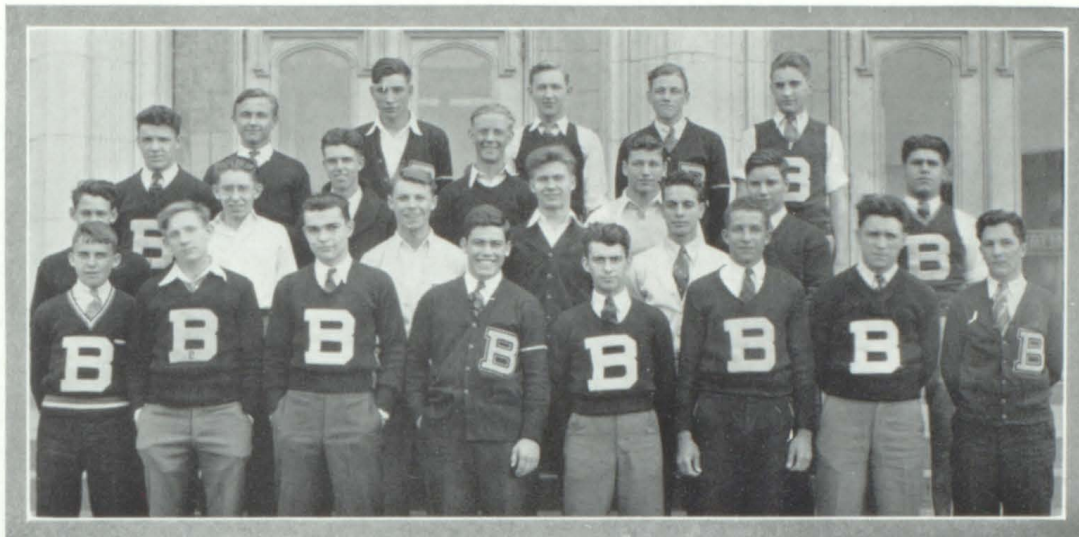
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The Girls' Tumbling Club was organized three years ago by Miss Dill, the girls' gym instructress. The club members, the number of whom is limited, meet once a week after school. If the girls complete a year of activity they receive extra credit. General Assembly programs have been presented each year by this club.



Lettermen's Club

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The Lettermen's Club was organized by Mr. Friedli in 1925. The members of this club are boys who have earned their letter in some sport.

The club meets regularly every month and its purpose is to foster better sportsmanship among the players. The club tries to set an example so that students will work harder to earn their letter and join this club.

The club sponsors dances, sells tickets to all important school activities and buys sweaters for the members of the club with the profits gained.

During the year, men who have attained distinction in athletics, are invited to speak before the boys on various programs.



Home Economics Club

President	Ruth Compton
Vice President	Bernice Weidlein
Secretary Treasurer	Virginia Schnaare
Sponsors.....	(Miss Alexander
	(Miss Neubauer

The Home Economics Club is a member of the State and National Home Economics Association.

Its aim is to encourage interest in home-making and home economic problems.

Members of the club made and sold pop-corn balls to obtain money for National Home Economic Club pins.

They also made toys for the Community Empty Stocking Fund.

Aeronautics Club

President	Chas. Merck
Vice President	Nile Harper
Secretary Treasurer.....	Phil. E. Weber
Sponsor	Mr. Karch

The Aeronautics Club was organized for the purpose of creating an interest in aviation.

Mr. Karch is the sponsor of the club, and proves to be well informed on the subject of aviation.

The members of the club have presented many interesting programs in the past, and it is also their aim to do so in the future.

It was only one year ago that the club was organized, but in that short period of time it has gained great popularity.

Boys' Science Club

President	Wayne Hoover
Vice President	Harry Merkel
Secretary Treasurer	Billy Shive
Sponsor	Mr. Cross

The Boys' Science Club, which is one of the largest boys' clubs in the school, was organized in February, 1923.

The regular monthly meetings consist of selected topics of numerous scientific problems and discoveries. Each member is required to take part on a program during the year and failure to do so inflicts a twenty-five cent fine upon him.

This year a "steak roast" took the place of the annual "wiener roast" which is usually given at Bellevue Park, to which several members of the faculty are invited.



Alpha Rho Tau

President	Harvey Oelrich
Vice President	Doris Wodley
Secretary Treasurer	Doris Horn
Sponsor	Miss Lee

The Greek words Alpha Rho Tau mean art. The art club this year is being sponsored by Miss Lee, instructor of art.

Although the art club is a reasonably new organization, having been formed in the fall of 1930, it is well known as may be observed by the number of art pins worn by students. This year there are twenty-two members in the club.

Each year the club as a whole works out some projects. This year they are making some linoleum block prints of the most picturesque spots in Belleville. These prints will be bound in booklet form and sold to the students as a memory book.

This spring there is to be a Beau Art ball which will be held in the art studio.



Girls' Athletic Association

President	Mildred Keifer
Vice President	Maryan Middlecoff
Secretary	Ethel Mutto
Treasurer	Bernice Bien
Sponsor	Miss E. Draser

The Girls' Athletic Association offers membership to all girls who wish to attain awards for athletic ability.

Four awards are given: first, arm shield; second, the letter "B"; third, an "I"; and fourth, a map of the state. The last two are state awards. Play days, here and at Woodriver, were held in the fall.



Girls' Science Club

Sponsor	Miss Fischer
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Snappy Snappers

President	Elsie Marie Baldus
Vice President	Jeanette Proffer
Secretary-Treasurer	Lenore Stephenson
Sponsor	Miss Harmon

The Snappy Snappers Pep Club was organized in 1927. It has successfully backed the teams for five consecutive seasons. The club has done a great deal in advancing the school's principles of good sportsmanship. The club backed the teams whether they won or lost.

Regular meetings are held every Wednesday after school. The club has adopted a new type of uniform. It consists of a maroon jumper and tam and a white sweater with a maroon megaphone.



Agriculture Club

Sponsor	L. F. Lentz
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Commercial Club

President	Marguerite Weber
Vice President	Florence Falcetti
Secretary	Mildred Buss
Treasurer	Elwood Adams
Sponsors	Commercial Teachers

The purpose of the Commercial Club, which was organized in 1916, is to create a desire to become efficient business men and women and to encourage good leadership.

All students who are enrolled in two or more commercial subjects are eligible for membership in this organization. At the present time the club has thirty members.

The monthly programs include reports, short stories, plays, and educational speeches given by proficient business men and women.

Outings and various social activities serve to bind the members closer together.



Latin Club

President	Samuel Zabrock
Vice President	Kathleen Duey
Secretary-Treasurer	Warren West
Sponsor	Miss Johnson

One of the oldest organizations in the school is the Latin Club. Its purpose is to further interest in the Latin language. This is done through the entertainment of its members by monthly programs dealing with Roman subjects, Latin spelling matches and Latin games.

During the present semester the Club has twenty members.



General Literary Society

President	Richard Schwarz
Vice President	Lyman Mertz
Secretary-Treasurer	Raymond Lowery
Sponsor	Mr. Kanzler

The main purpose of the General Literary Club is to study the different types of literature by having readings and speeches in the programs. The programs also consist of songs, musical numbers and dances.

Because of Mr. Schmidt's many duties, it has become necessary to appoint Mr. Kanzler as sponsor. This club has always been a success and we are sure Mr. Kanzler will help to keep it so in years to come.



Boys' Tumbling Club

President Ellion Waigand
 Secretary-Treasurer Kenneth Neu
 Sponsor Mr. Johnson

Tumbling requires a keen mind and a certain amount of grace. It furnishes plenty of exercise for all parts of the body.

The Tumbling Club has chosen a letter to be awarded to those tumblers who can pass the requirements. The club has four sets of requirements; one for each year you are a member. So a four-year tumbler has four times as much to do as a beginner. This year three-fifth of a credit is given to those who attend regular practice every Monday night.



Boy Scout Club

President John Sprague
 Scribe Warren Sexton
 Sponsor R. L. Thorne

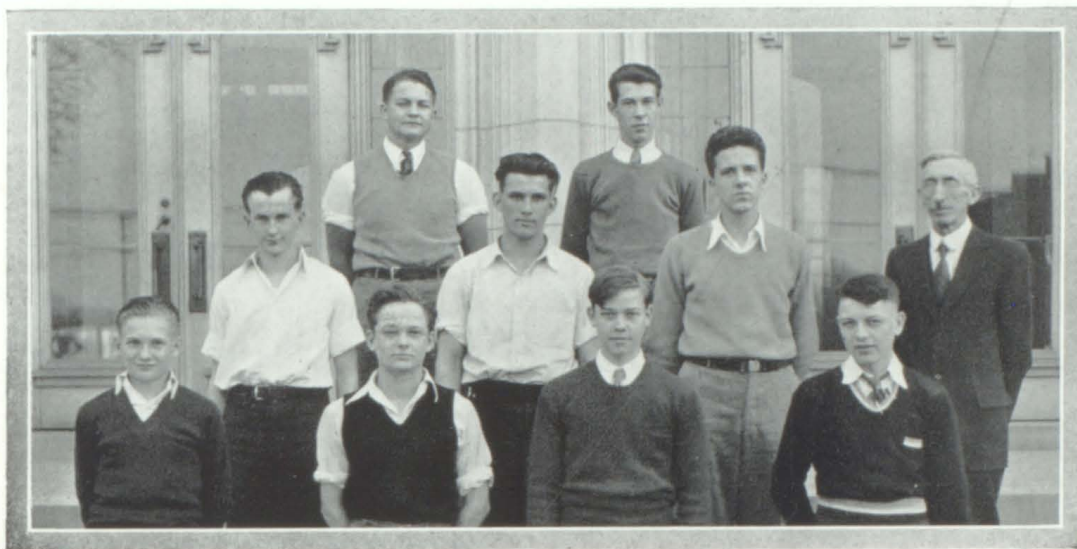


Advertising Club

President	Lee Rockwell
Vice-President	Cyril Vernier
Secretary-Treasurer	Harold Kamenz
Sponsor	Mr. Trabue

The Advertising Club was organized five years ago by several advertising students with the co-operation of Mr. Trabue. The club, while not as large as some of the other organizations, plays a role of importance in the activities of the school.

At the regular monthly meetings several of the local business men are secured to give a talk to the club. The purpose of the club is to sponsor the idea and study of good advertising and participate in social activities as well. The club holds itself in readiness to assist in the publicity of any school function which is brought to its attention. The membership of the club is limited to Juniors and Seniors who have taken two or more commercial subjects.



Chemistry Club

President	Frederick Moehle
Vice President	Armin Emig
Secretary Treasurer.....	James Vincent
Sponsor	Mr. Campbell

The Chemistry Club is one of the newer organizations. It originated among the chemistry students of 1929 with Sam Pessin, Pres., Richard Ebel, V. Pres., and Carl Bridges, Secy.-Treas.

The purpose of the club is two-fold. Its main purpose is to supplement the student's basic knowledge of chemistry with interesting side-facts so as to make the subject more interesting to him. Its secondary purpose is to entertain the club members.

The club programs are made up of experiments, talks, and a few occasional jokes or games.



Dramatic Club

President Josephine Bridges
 Vice President John Straub
 Secretary Treasurer Florine Petri
 Sponsor Mr. Dey

This year the Dramatic Club has engaged in more activities than ever before. Its new sponsor, Mr. Dey, has put forth every effort toward the club's success and development. The club, one of the largest in the school, has a membership of seventy-seven.

The first semester the outstanding production was a play, "The Nut Farm," directed by Mr. Dey and produced before a large audience in the High School Auditorium on December 11, 1931.

During the second semester, the club confined its activities to the production of a one-act play in the General Assembly. "In the Spring a Young Man's Fancy——" was the play given. It was produced on April 27. The cast for the play was: Dicky Trent, the young man—John Straub; Mrs. Jack Hilliard, the chaperon—Florine Petri; Her five little jays, Janet—Mary Helen Andel, Jo—Thelma Millet, Julia—Helen Cloud, Jean—Juanita Cox, Jacqueline—Gene Kircher, the maid, Marie—Jeanette Proffer.



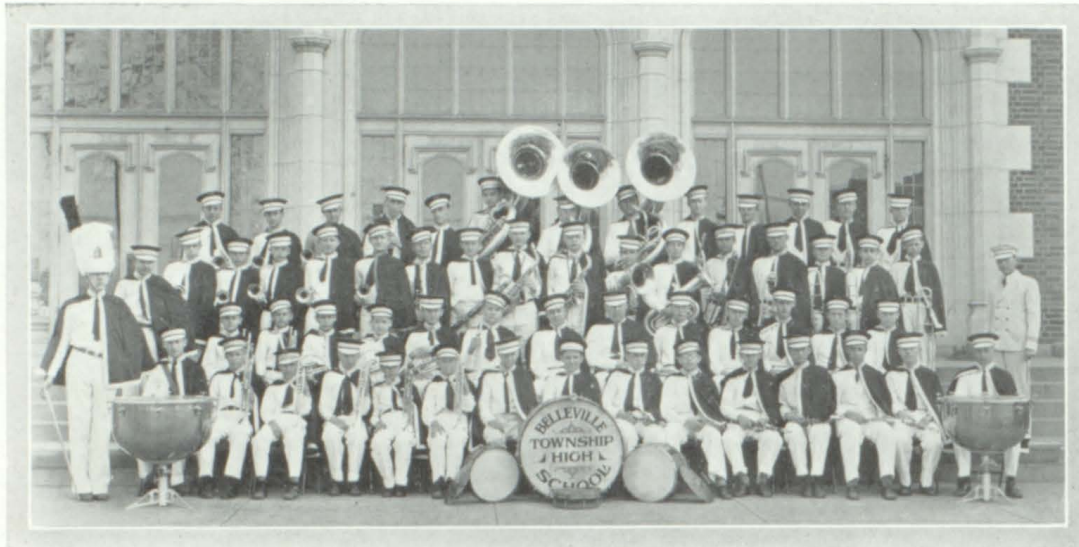
Letterwomen's Club

President Ruth Wagner
 Vice President Irene Rodenmayer
 Secretary Treasurer..... Bernice Bien
 Sponsor Miss Dill

Comprised of "athletic minded" girls, who have earned their letter, either by participation on the tennis team or by meeting the requirements of the G. A. A., the Letterwomen's Club has grown considerably since its inauguration in 1928. They are sponsored by Miss Dill.

The meetings of the club are held monthly in the school apartment or in the homes of the Letterwomen.

It is one of the most active organizations in the school, and its' purpose is to promote athletics for girls.



The Band

CONDUCTOR—A. C. STAPLES

FIRST BAND

Henry Smallwood
Jerome Abendroth
Willard Kunze
Freddie Vogt
Norman Reheis
William Rubach
Stanley Miller
Roy Weisenborn
Val. Rhein
Joe Rhein
Frank Day
Temple Marsh
P. K. Johnson

Virgil Roebeling
George Rosenthal
Kenneth Trey
Waldo Tisch
Allen Gerdis
Louis Jewett
Edwin Hoffmann
Norman Hartwell
Kelly Smith
Orville Green
Armin Emig
Carl Hirth
Herbert Hardt

Darwin Huetting
Longley Butts
Harold Cross
Harold Kamenz
Lloyd Saeger
Fred Moehle
Anthony Green
Vincent Meinkoth
James Lester
Wm. Mueller
John Davis
Robert Simon
Homer Rheinhardt

SECOND BAND

Warren Schmalenberger
Arthur Fuess
Arthur Kloess
William Schwarz
Ben Goepferre
Al. Spirtas
Emerson Brunsman
Billy Randle
Lesley Junck
Carl Saeger

Orville Pierce
Hubert Shirley
Earl Berger
Elbert Born
Louis Wild
Kenneth Hohm
Allen Fries
Reuben Rehg
Ed. Grandcolas
Norman Hammel

Lawrence Borchel
Warren Bien
Norman Goldberg
Frank Fox
David Krebs
Russel Shaer
Louis LePere
Melvin Clark
Orville Boeker
Wilbur Saeger



The Orchestra

CONDUCTOR—A. C. STAPLES

Temple Marsh
Helen Keil
Dorothy Deppe
Virgil Roebling
Audrey Cox
Elaine Berger
Louis (Oscar) Jewett
Roy Weisenborn
Kenneth Hohm
Kelly Smith
Louis LePere
Edith Parks
Pearl Vogel
Norman Goldberg
Norman Hammel
Vincent Meinkoth
Lloyd Saeger
Juanita Cox
Willard Kunze
Billy Randle
Freddy Vogt
Waldo Tisch

William Tweedy
Olin Gerdis
Victor Robertson
Arthur Londe
Paul Dersia
Bob Klingel
Lorraine Knepfelkamp
Ruth Wade
Joseph Gerber
M. Brandenberger
Henrietta Raetz
Melvin Meith
Isaac Topin
Louis Wild
Lauretta Tuncil
Virginia Merrills
Bonnie Rountree
Marvin Agne
Clarence Mueller
Jacob Tennebaum
Margaret Mellon
Norman Reheis
P. K. Johnson



CHEER LEADERS

Cyril Vernier, Helen Cloud, Marie White, Vincent Meinkoth.

PepPy Peppers

President	Cyril Vernier
Vice President	Vincent Meinkoth
Secretary Treasurer	Chas. Fitzgerald
Sponsor	Mr. Dey

Old B. T. H. S. has long felt a need for a boys' pep club. To meet this need about thirty of the outstanding boys in school, who were not participating in athletics, organized just such a club at the beginning of this school year.

In collaboration with the Snappy Snappers, the girls' pep club, they made their first public appearance at the pep meeting of the first annual homecoming, which was held in the auditorium. The two pep squads certainly put the life into this meeting. What a sight it was to see those thirty boys dressed in their white trousers, maroon sweaters with white megaphone emblems, and small maroon caps parading with the Snappy Snappers, equally attractively dressed. What a thrill to hear the cheering and singing led by the cheer leaders, Marie White, Cyril Vernier, Helen Cloud, Vincent Meinkoth, Melba Rogers and Chas. Fitzgerald!

In the years to come we hope to see this club continue to keep up their standards, back up the teams, and prosper.



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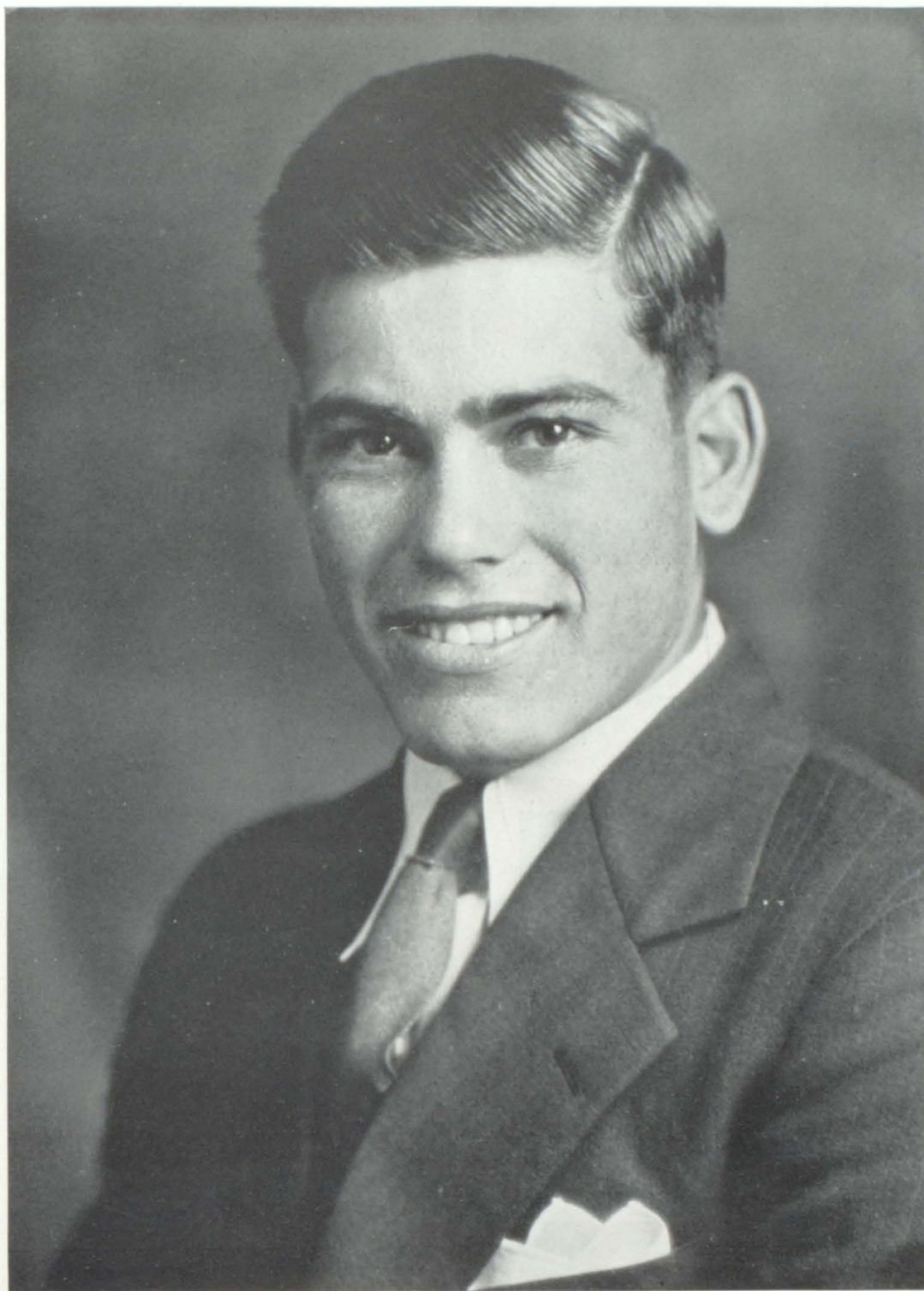
Fern Compton

ACTIVITIES



VIVIENNE THEISS

Queen



LESLIE COLE

Popular Boy



GENE KIRCHER
Junior Maid



BERNICE BIEN
Sophomore Maid



SALLY HEELY
Freshman Maid

VIVIENNE THEISS—QUEEN

Vivienne's disposition won her many friends during her High School career. She was a member of the Dramatic Club; G. A. A.; Girls' Science Club; Glee Cub and the Snappy Snappers.

Last year she was a candidate for Junior Maid, and was on the Prom Committee. During the present year she was Managing Editor of the Hy-News, and took part in the Washington Bicentennial program during General Assembly.

LESLIE COLE—POPULAR BOY

This year we have elected as our popular boy, one of the most outstanding athletes in the school. "Les" has participated in all sports, track, basketball, football and baseball. He was captain of the football team during his Junior and Senior years. He was also President of the Lettermen's Club, Vice President of his Sophomore class and is President of the 1932 graduating class.

GENE KIRCHER—JUNIOR MAID

Our petite Junior maid is socially prominent not only among her fellow-students, but throughout this vicinity as well. She has been President of the English Honorary Society and belonged to a number of other clubs including the G. A. A.; French Club; and Dramatic Club.

She was a candidate for Sophomore maid and took part in the Junior Jam and Senior Program.

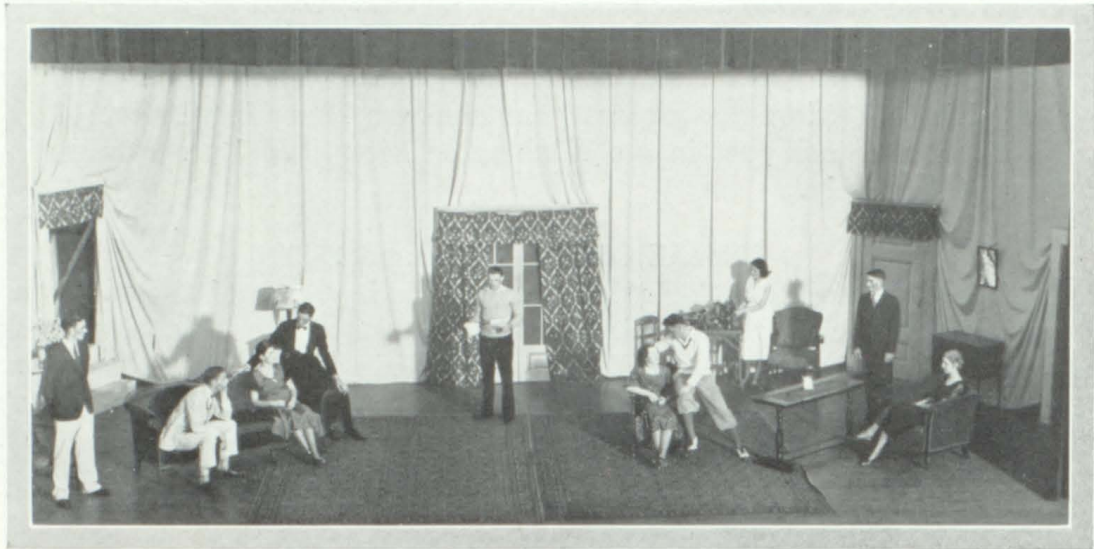
BERNICE BIEN—SOPHOMORE MAID

"Bienie" is considered one of the best singles tennis players in this section of the State.

She is Secretary-Treasurer of her Sophomore Class, and during the past year has been Secretary-Treasurer of the Letterwomen's Club; Treasurer of the G. A. A.; and has recently been elected Secretary of the G. A. A. for her Junior year. The fact that she was Freshman Maid is a proof of her enduring popularity.

SALLY HEELY—FRESHMAN MAID

During her first year of High School life Sally has formed a wide circle of friends among faculty and fellow students. She has taken an active part in school activities and was a member of the G. A. A., the General Literary Club, and the American Chorus in the operetta, "The Belle of Bagdad."



The Nut Farm

"The Nut Farm" a grand three-act comedy centering around Hollywood and the motion picture world was produced, December 11, by the Dramatic Club, under the direction of Mr. Herbert Dey.

The leading role was played by Howard Braun, a young director, who having endeavored to steer his brother-in-law away from promoter sharks in Hollywood who offer to star his wife for the small sum of \$30,000, decided when his warnings fell on deaf ears, to grab the directorial reins himself and so salvage at least a part of his brother-in-law's money. The well-selected cast depicted this story with amazing and hilarious effects.

The characters were:

Mrs. Barton	Edna Vogt
Willie Barton	Howard Braun
Robert Bent	Tony Christman
Helen Bent	Juanita Cox
Hamilton T. Holland	Charles Stegmeyer
Ezra Sliscomb	Charles Fitzgerald
Agatha Sliscomb	Jane Lee Jones
J. Clarence Biddleford	Louis Jewett
Harold Wan Harton	Richard Wangelin
Marie	Rosalind Culli



The Belle of Bagdad

"The Belle of Bagdad" was sponsored by the Music Department of the school under the direction of Miss Snyder. It was presented on April 22, 1932, in the B. T. H. S. Auditorium.

The characters were:

Mrs. Horace McCann	Maryan Middlecoff
Elsa McCann	Marian Weidman
Anne Blackwell	Marie White
Archie Fitzgibbons	Cyril Venier
Zelinda	Rita Minor
Rose	Justine Johnson
Lily	Juanita Cox
Ali Ben Mustopha	La Vern Adams
Hassan El Carib	John Straub
Jewel	Jane Ellen Rogers
Bob Ballentine	Darwin Hueting
Bill Blake	Arthur Eggersman
Henrietta Whipstitch	Henrietta Raetz
Dick Taylor	Henry Smallwood
Assassin	Justin Schoenenberger
Salesgirl	Helen Mingle

Rain

I like to lie and listen to the rain
That beats so fiercely on my window pane;
I like to listen to the thunder roar,
And think how quiet it was just before!
I also like to see the lightning flash
Across the heavens, with a mighty crash!
Hearing the wind a-whisp'ring through the trees,
Reminds we vaguely of a swarm of bees.
A gentle dripping down the waterspout,
Another crash! And all the lights are out!
I close my eyes in simple ecstasy,
And breathe the air just washed so fragrantly.
I sleep! Lulled by the never ceasing drip,
And sail through dreams upon my pillow slip.
I dream my bed's a boat and I'm at sea,
Of all the crew there's only left but me.
I'm all alone! I cannot see the land!
But lo! What is that yonder golden strand?
I quickly guide my ship up to that shore,
And find that I have seen this place before.
But now I hear a voice that's calling me,
And hear a bird chirp yonder in my tree.
The sun is streaming through my window wide,
It's hot bright rays the rainwashed earth has dried.
How sweet the day that greets me with a smile!
I feel it holds something for me worth while!

KATHRYN RAPP, '32.



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HUMOR

Calendar

SEPTEMBER

- 8—Kindergarten transferred to High School.
- 10—Julia Clark registers as Senior. (Annual occurrence).
- 14—Miss Eidman and Miss Baer heard laughing??? We thought someone was being murdered.
- 16—Tryouts for Girls' Quartette. No more mice in the music room.
- 18—The first football game of the season. Belleville 12, Sparta 6. Ray!
- 21—Public speaking classes begin to "orate."
- 24—Mr. Thorne tells about his ability as an interpretive dancer.
- 25—Last day of week. Everybody in good humor—except faculty.
- 26—Lost to Kirkwood 12—0. Lost, strayed, or stolen—one sweat shirt.
- 28—Test week. Exams reveal extraordinary brilliancy of students. (Especially Seniors).

OCTOBER

- 1—First Hy-News. Oh, well, everybody makes mistakes.
- 2—Last day for Senior pictures to be taken. Beat Carlyle 25—0.
- 3—Big fight in staff room. Miss Grigg displays talent of a professional prize-fighter.
- 7-8-9—No school!!! Students unprepared for sudden shock.
- 9—Miss Eidman rides around in a car with a Maryland license. Now we wonder???
- 10—Football team beats Granite City 13—12. What a game!!!
- 13—First hour—three members of staff hide apples in staff room.
second hour—Business manager in staff room.
Third hour—No more apples.
Somebody ask him how he likes worms.
- 15—Mouse appears in Physics room. Mr. Karch (assisted by Ovid Ruhman) attempts to kill it with a meter stick. We'll probably have mouse soup for lunch tomorrow.
- 16—Mouse soup for lunch!!! Mr. Karch presented with a new joke book. Vast improvement.
- 21—Exciting baseball game in public speaking class. (Mr. Thorne absent). "Blond Blizzard" hits homer.
- 26—Margaret Hueckel draws flattering portrait of Mr. Hexter on board in math. room.
- 27—Business manager has Senior picture taken.
- 28—Ask Lou about the flower episode in the staff room. Big Pep Meeting held in Auditorium.



CALENDAR—Continued.

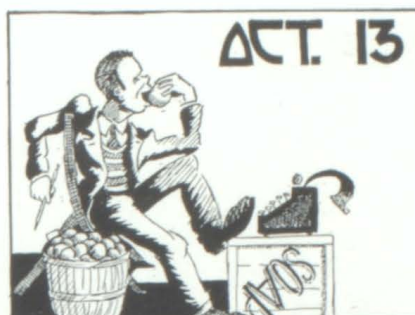
- 29—Mr. Thorne discovers he has a brilliant Public Speaking class. It certainly took him long enough to find out.
- 30—Belleville beats Collinsville at first Homecoming Game.
- 31—Staff room painted red and yellow.
Four members of staff have tea at Thorne's.
Wally is offered a dog biscuit. (Very appropriate).

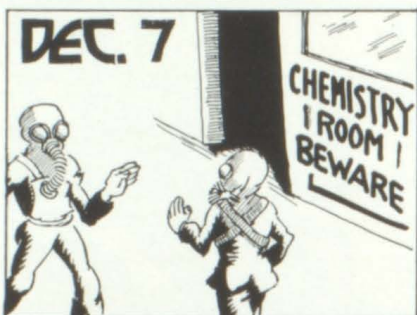
NOVEMBER

- 2—Strange odor of banana oil wafts through corridors near staff room.
- 11—Mr. Trabue goes duck hunting and bags decoy. You're improving Mr. Trabue. All it takes is a little perseverance.
- 13—Beat Woodriver 7—0. Helen Cloud falls??? for "Bumps" Walker.
- 16—Mr. Karch suggests staff representatives leave for Champaign if they expect to get there by the 19th. You shouldn't judge all cars by a Reo, Mr. Karch.
- 19—Bellevinois and Hy-News staff representatives (chaperoned???? by teachers) leave for Champaign. School unusually quiet.
- 20—Mr. Thorne found to be an absent-minded professor (four witnesses). They're all alike. We sympathize with them. Big fight in front of sorority.
- 21—Mr. Thorne spanks "Pete." "More fun, more people killed"—ask Longley to finish this.
- 22—"Dots" Louis and "Gib" Hambleton do marathon around sunken garden.
- 23—See Louise for full particulars concerning the advantages of Ovaltine.
- 25—Hobo Day. Mr. Schmidt makes collection of alarm clocks, pipes, etc.
- 26—Turkey Day!!! East Side beats Belleville 20—0. Now our appetites are ruined.
- 27—Another vacation!!! The "Board must have been in good humor when they 'dished out' holidays."
- 30—Blue Monday. What can you expect after a string of holidays????

DECEMBER

- 2—"Papa" doesn't approve of staff's decoration of "Georgie."
- 4—Ruth C. had a littel pup.
Who craved an education.
Today he came to school with her,
Much to her consternation.
- 7—Chemistry classes at it again!!! What are they trying to do, suffocate us,???





CALENDAR—Continued.

- 9—Four visitors chased out of staff room. Guess who???
- 11—"Lost and Found" articles displayed in case in main corridor. Scotchmen take notice!!!
- 14—EXTRA!!!! Staff room gets cleaned!!!! You'd never know it.
- 15—"Oscar" Jewett brings hot water bottle to English 8 class. Effects of night before??? Again we wonder.
- 16—Mrs. Storner swipes our hot water bottle.!!?* &***?!!!*((()))——!!!?,?
- 18—Visitor tries to convince students they'll be converted into little birdies when they die. (Probably cuckoos).
- 19—Miss Eidman (absentmindedly) takes Mr. Thorne's test questions with her. It must be love—or the Maryland license—or both.
- 21—Old grads begin to visit school. Wonder if we'll ever be so conceited???
- 24—Senior Program big success!!! Enjoyed by everyone except Miss Kriege. Wonder why???? Three guesses.
- 26-30—Parties thrown right and left.

JANUARY

- 1—Leap year!!! There's your chance, Miss Schmeisser.
- 4—Thesis due. Staff meeting. R. L. has another fight with Miss Grigg. Oh, for a camera!!!!
- 6—Yodelers in General Assembly.
- 7—Petri chases farmer up the curb. What a woman!
- 8—"Hennery Galen" again inspects walls of staff room. Evidently he is convinced we're not "good little boys and girls."
- 9—Kenny S. finds two peas in pea soup.
- 11—Staff actually works after school. The world is coming to an end.
- 13—And again Mary Ann displays absent-mindedness. Really, this is going too far!!!
- 14—Miss Farmer reads "Alice in Wonderland" to English Eight class. First time Merz understood the lesson.
- 15—"Oscar Jewett" walks back from ride. Ask Mr. Cross for details.
- 18—Snowflake seen!!! Probably got lost.
- 20—"Dot" Louis sits on radiator in staff room. Stands for the rest of the day.
- 21—Position of furniture???, in staff room changed.
- 22—Girls' Gym class takes eight laps around the track. (Comparable to a non-stop flight around Paul Whiteman).

CALENDAR—Continued.

25—Final test week. No further explanation necessary.

26—Even Seniors caught studying.

FEBRUARY

2—Back to torture again. Another new study system inaugurated.

3—Physics class has to listen to Mr. Karch's stale jokes for eighty minutes now.

5—Seniors suddenly turn poetic.

7—Mr. Thorne gets sick.

8—Members of Staff express their sorrow concerning the absence of their dear Sponsor by sending him a lily.

14—Many hearts flutter!

18—Rauth decides not to take Sociology.

19—Trabue and Rauth hold a debate. Wonder who won?

22—Another holiday.

23—Kenny Bien donates a nickel to Bellevinois Staff! Hooray, now the depression is over!!

24—Freeburg here.

25—Mr. Thorne returns. Now staff has to quit loafing.

26—Assistant Editor brings embroidery???? (So Mr. Thorne thinks) to staff room. Don't blush Sarah Mary.

29—Staff Meeting. More arguments.

MARCH

2—Seniors Meeting. Many prominent Seniors among the missing.

3—Kate Andel pays for lunch twice. Mrs. Jones gets a break.

5—Cast of "Nut Farm" sees??? "Green Pastures."

8—Kenny Bien stays home to study. He must be nutty.

11—R. L.'s birthday.

16—Salty Green makes a big clean-up in Botany class.

17—St. Patrick's Day. Dedicated to Freshmen.

18—Primary election. Many students injured.

21—Kenny Bien and "Oscar" have water fight in main corridor. Mr. Schmidt narrowly escapes injury.

22—"Dots" Louis turns mouse loose in Miss Grigg's English Eight class. Ask Duffey for further particulars.

24—Mr. Friedli's birthday. Take the hint Freshmen.

25—Good Friday. Three-fourths of students go to church.

27—Easter Bunnie comes to good Freshies.

28—No admit needed to enter classes. If students had known this, the other fourth would have been absent too.

APRIL

1—Brick Ehret's birthday. No school.

4—Kenny Schuessler walks home in a barrel. Talk about embarrassing moments!

6—Windows washed!! Two buckets of water wasted. Such extravagance.

8—Editor absent. Staff has peace.

13—"Bud" Andel discovers a new shiek!

14—Senior meeting. Maria appointed chairman of Senior Play Committee.

18—Theiss absent. "Wally" almost hysterical.

21—Just another rumpus in the staff room.

25—Noise in teacher's room disturbs students at work.

27—Dramatic Club play in General Assembly. "Kate" gets jealous.

29—Jo Bridges does some promoting. Who's the victim??

MAY

2—Bischoff giggles in Physics. Suffers the consequences.

3—Rain.

4—Rain.

5—Rain.

6—Students decide to build ark.

9—"Bud" Andel casts former crushes aside for new Romeo.

11—Advertising manager goes out for ads. This goes down in history.

13—Theiss attends school a full week. (Eighth wonder of the world).

16—Mr. Thorne tells Miss Grigg her dotted dress makes her look matronly.

17—R. L. comes to school in an ambulance. Sometimes Miss Grigg does have a temper.

20—Not a single fight in staff room all day.

24—Faculty convenes to cuss and discuss students.

27—Junior Jam. Hooray! Now Seniors get something to eat.

30—Vacation!!!!

JUNE

18—Staff leaves for a trip around the world on proceeds of Bellevinois.

The Daily Routine at B. T. H. S.

- 7:30—Ambitious Seniors yawn and go back to sleep.
 7:40—Mammas call for the 99th time.
 7:45—Make a valiant attack on breakfast.
 7:50—Loaf of bread and quart of milk swallowed.
 7:55—Freshmen begin formation of line in front of Allen's.
 7:57—"Toonerville Trolley" arrives at square.
 8:00—"Toonerville Trolley" leaves empty.
 8:10—Seniors arrive at Allen's and push Freshmen out of line.
 8:11—Freshmen scramble after trolley.
 8:19—Seniors take taxi ride to asylum.
 8:19 $\frac{3}{4}$ —Prof. R. L. Thorne arrives.
 8:20—Last bell. Seniors make dash to class rooms.
 8:21—Quiz in English 8.
 8:25—Ten neighboring Seniors have same wrong answers. What a coincidence!
 8:30—P. G.'s wake up and start to get ready for school.
 8:45—Miss Farmer raves on, "And Tennyson was so affected by the death of Hallam, etc."
 9:00—Bell rings to end recitation. Seniors take time out to catch breath wasted during recitation period.
 9:01—Entire student body in corridors.
 9:02—Freshmen back to classrooms.
 9:05—End of five-minute period. Senior classes still deserted.
 9:15—One by one the Seniors return to their place of torture.
 9:40—Students awakened by bell.
 9:41—Theiss and Wally meet in corridor.
 9:45—Physics class assembles. Seniors without problems. (Very unusual). More lectures.
 11:05—End of second period. General stream toward cafeteria.
 11:06—Theiss and Wally meet in corridor.
 11:10—Miss Alexander and Mr. Dey have lunch together. (Don't blush, Mr. Dey).
 11:15—Sophomore gang creates general disturbance in cafe.
 11:30—"Dots" Louis, Irene Rodenmayer and Ethel Mutto play mumble peg.
 11:55—Second outburst from main building. Evidently somebody likes mashed potatoes and roast pork.
 11:57—Theiss and Wally meet in corridor.
 12:01—Mr. Schmidt patrols corridors.
 12:02—Recreation hour for Seniors taking College Algebra. Maria argues as to the "why" and "wherefore."
 12:45—Theiss and Wally meet in corridor.
 12:46—Eight members of Staff have free hour in Staff room.
 12:47—Noise in Staff room disturbs classes in Auditorium.
 1:15—Russel enters Staff room to calm disturbance.
 1:16—Russel adds to noise.
 1:20—Wally looking for Kenny.
 1:22—Kenny looking for Wally.
 1:25—Theiss looking for Wally.
 1:30—Lou looking for Pete.
 1:32—Pete looking for Lou.
 1:34—Sarah looking for R. L.
 1:40—R. L. looking for a car.
 1:45—Everybody finds everybody else and Staff leaves for town. (Bellevinois business).
 2:00—Staff returns with rolls, cookies, candy, gum, etc.
 2:10—Bell ends long hour of toil.
 2:11—Theiss and Wally meet in corridor.
 2:15—Jewett arrives at school.
 2:16—Beginning of last hour. Straub recites in Civics. Everybody else snores.
 2:20—"Dots" discovers mice in Staff room. Art Schmisseeur bravely rescues the "Stenog" by chasing mice into corridor.
 3:35—Liberty bell.
 3:35 $\frac{1}{4}$ —School deserted.
 3:40—Jewett goes out for ads.
 3:41—Jewett goes home tired and worn out from getting ads.

Foreword: Mindful of the unusual ability of the members of the Senior Class to write nonsense, we decided to publish the following limericks, their masterpieces.

There was a young fellow named Issy,
Who went for a ride in his lizzie,
His view of the train,
Was obscured by some rain.
Alas for poor Issy, where is he?

There once was a copper named Billy
On his beat he acted quite silly
Then one day a mob,
Took him from his job
Now he holds in his hand a sweet lily.

When Les Cole went out for a spin
His car raised a deafening din.
So he raised up the hood
And at once understood
The reason for saving old tin.

There was a dumb fellow named Butts
Who was not necessarily nuts
But one day he did try
To pass a car by
He found you can't argue with trucks.

There was a young man called Witty
Who stopped to play with a kitty
The kitty was black,
With a stripe down its back,
Well—this is the end of my ditty.

There was a young fellow named Rod
Who married a woman named Todd.
They got in a fight,
When he came home one night,
And now he lies under the sod.

There once was a school Belleville High
The thought of it made students sigh
The sighs turned to groans
And then changed to moans
As the time for the finals drew nigh.

There was a young teacher named Dey
Over whom all the teachers did cry
He has a career
But this is leap year
And he'd better not say, "Aye, Aye."

Last Will and Testament of the Class of 1932

SECTION I.

We, the honorable members of that noteworthy class of '32, having been inmates of this institution of higher learning or rather lower learning, depending upon the view-point of the individual, for the last four years, have come to the following state of mind, namely, we are going to give something away free of charge, gratis, without cost, etc., and so forth. It is with these things in mind that we do ordain with due authority the following document of import and sincere concoction, no one member of the class being responsible for the writing as it is a product of the democratic many, not the tyrannical few.

Now that that is over, I wish, as the honorable scribe, to mention an important omission. It is the will of the Class of '32.

Signed:

Staff Lawyer.

SECTION II.

TO THE HONORABLE:

Mr. Stemig, janitor and Mr. Schmidt, professor and principal, we will everything. Want to know why? Because we haven't anything.

School, we will a bigger, better, and younger faculty.

R. L. Thorne, we will a year's subscription to Ballyhoo. Reason: Don't ask!

Mrs. Storer, we will all the paper on the floor.

Popeye, the sailor, we will a position on the faculty (Eng. Dep't). Reason: On account of our teachers insulk us too often.

Miss Miller, we will the Navy, (She got the Army).

To the next Staff, we will a different staff room where the staff can work in peace without the interruptions of the giggling and gossip of the lady-members of the faculty in an adjoining room.

SECTION III.

Personal bequests:

I, Adolph Auer, will my ability to write shorthand to Flora Towers.

I, Harry Ackerman, will my ability to get along with Miss Farmer to the next teacher pet.

I, Howard Albert, will my trusty Ford to the next farmer from Millstadt.

I, Martha Allen, will my amiable disposition to Julia Kohl.

I, Katherine Andel, will Johnny's place in the quartet to Bob Klingel, so Johnny can stay home nights.

I, Mary Helen Andel, will my collection of rings to Helen Cloud.

I, Maria Altmansberger, will my ability to disagree with teachers to Lydia Tennebaum.

I, Aurelia Auer, will my ability to write up sports to Blanche Merz.

I, Leon Bischoff, will my caveman tactics to Wm. Tweedy.

I, Longley Butts, will my ability to make love to Lee Holt.

I, Edward Burckhardt, will my ability to work Physics problems to anybody taking physics next year.

I, Arthur Buesch, will my good standing with Miss Miller to Charlotte Auerbach.

- I, Robert Berg, will my ability at giving snappy come-backs to Cyril Braun.
- I, Howard Biggs, will my brilliance to anyone who needs it.
- I, Mary Francis Begole, will Richard to anyone who can get him.
- I, Laura Begole, will my place in the Letterwomen's Club to Dorothy Hoover.
- I, Edna Mae Berger, will my ability to write orations to Jane Lee Jones.
- I, Josephine Bridges, will my dainty ways to Ann Liese.
- I, Fern Compton, will my art talent to Thelma Millet.
- I, Leslie Cole, will my Pepsodent smile to Kathryn Marsh.
- I, Tony Christman, will my popularity to Blaine Schmidt.
- I, Warren Duffield, will my original dance step to Zane Zaber.
- I, Kermit Dammerick, will my curly locks to Bernard Walker.
- I, Lester Deffenbaugh, will my "foreign" accent to La Vern Adams.
- I, Marcella Depper, will my French correspondent to Margaret Heinecke.
- I, Kathleen Duey, will my forwardness to Elsie Marie Baldus.
- I, Helen Eidman, will my weak voice to Helen Marie Hagan.
- I, Harold Ervin, will my ability to diet to Lloyd Saeger.
- I, Wilbur Florreich, will my ability to make dumb answers to Gladys Davidson.
- I, Howard Fincke, will my business-like nature to Ralph Hippard.
- I, Charles Fitzgerald, will my dramatic talent to Miss Kriege.
- I, Arthur Fohr, will Helen to anyone that wants her.
- I, Ruth Frank, will Okawville to Louise Mollman, providing she makes good use of it.
- I, Ruth Fontana, will my brother to Ruth Hartleb.
- I, Sarah Mary Farthing, will my desk in English to anybody that can make as good use of it in getting dates as I did.
- I, Bertha Gore, will my dad's barber shop to anyone who can get more money out of it that I did.
- I, Nita Gaubatz, will my ability to bring in mail and get a smile from the teachers to Ruth Schifferdecker.
- I, Mignon Glueck, will my car to Glenn.
- I, Doris Gebhardt, will my clothes to Ellen Sterling.
- I, Margaret Gore, will my sister to anybody who can keep her from pestering me.
- I, Aliceann Godfrey, will my place as dance instructress to Jane Gunn.
- I, Martha Guthertz, will my place in the M. B. Bus to anyone that can stand the bumps.
- I, Earl Guthrie, will my Swan-like neck to Lymen Mertz.
- I, Olin Gerdes, will my dwarf-like stature to Elmer Ruehl.
- I, Raymond Grimmer, will my Ford to anyone who can drive it one handed better than I do.
- I, Helen Hausman, will my "one and only" to the County Jail.
- I, Dorothy Haseman, will my "Golden-Glinted" wig to little Hartnagel.
- I, Frances Hiltrop, will my plumpness to Julia Clark.
- I, Leah Hary, will my orchestra to Norman Reheis.
- I, Helen Hasler, will my permanent to Lois Meng.
- I, Doris Horn, will my punctuality to Blanche Eggman.
- I, Margaret Hueckel, will my crushes to Jessie Sapp.
- I, Herbert Hardt, will my ability to invent alibis to Arthur Eggersman.
- I, Gilbert Hambleton, will "Dots" to myself.

- I, Ralph Hoeffken, will my tall stature to Billy Schmale.
 I, Norman Hartwell, will my nickname "Benny" to Mr. Karch.
 I, Wayne Hoover, will my ability to get to school on time to Mary Schaefer.
 I, Eugene Heidinger, will my intelligence to Mary Jo Merrills.
 I, Julianna Jonaitia, will my changeable locks to Charlotte Roach.
 I, Louis Jewett, will my pull with the faculty to Henry Smallwood. He'll need it.
 I, Henrietta Kniepkamp, will my quiet ways to Sophie Martin.
 I, Florence Keim, will my ability to copy in Physics to Kenneth Taylor.
 I, Melba Kuhn, will my sedate nature to Gene Kircher.
 I, Helen Keil, will my musical talent to Sylvia Waldman.
 I, Ellen Knobeloch, will my intellect to Jean Boyd.
 I, Herbert Kaufman, will my big feet to Mr. Schmidt.
 I, Harold Kamenz, will my bashfulness to Alice Sexton.
 I, Joan Leber, will my sweet voice to Milton Ehret.
 I, Dorothy Louis, will my position on the staff to whoever is unlucky enough to get it.
 I, Raymond Lowery, will my ability to shoot baskets to Harry Merkel.
 I, Charles Miller, will my Scout uniform to whoever can get in it.
 I, Estelle McCullough, will my purple pajamas to Melba Rogers.
 I, Alice Mahr, will my quiet nature to Lawrence Lougeay.
 I, Ethel Mutto, will my ability to play mumble peg to Jeanette Proffer.
 I, Maryan Middlecoff, will my natural waves to Rita Minor.
 I, Ruth Mueller, will my giggle to Dorothy Woerner.
 I, Louise Mollman, will "Pete" to anyone who can stand her.
 I, Helen Morgan, will my speed (?) to Charles Stegmeyer.
 I, Adam Maurer, will my admits to Dan Vivian.
 I, Clarence Mueller, will my sudden popularity to Joseph Rhein.
 I, Walter Merz, will my conceit to Robert Simon.
 I, Lyman Mertz, will my place as manager to anyone who can do as well as I.
 I, Temple Marsh, will my glasses to Julius Katz.
 I, Frederick Moehle, will my ability to play tennis to Bernice Bien.
 I, Stanley Miller, will my baby smile to Abe Spirtas.
 I, Gaylen Niedenfuehr, will my original poem, "S-Park" to Miss Farmer.
 I, Dolores Nebgen, will Ada Maria to Irene Thomas.
 I, Jennie Nevener, will my knowledge of Latin to Preston Johnson.
 I, Roberta Nivin, will Ralph to almost anybody.
 I, Billy Otwell, will my knowledge of civics to Jack Linster.
 I, Willmar Peters, will my ability to skip successfully to Jo Kathryn Rhein.
 I, Edith Lee Parks, will my avoirdupois to Olga Fincke.
 I, Florine Petri, will "Lou" to the Art Museum.
 I, Dorothy Palmer, will my knowledge of French to Miss Skaar.
 I, Evelyn Poser, will Mrs. Jones a new menu.
 I, Homer Rheinhardt, will my ability to draw funny pictures to Harvey Oelrich.
 I, John Rauth, will my way with the fair sex to Peppy Lutz.
 I, Elmer Randle, will my place on the football team to Marion Capone.
 I, Eilien Rice, will my pull with Mr. Nebelsick to Herbert Schaeffer.
 I, Kathryn Rapp, will my place in the quartet to anyone whose voice will kill the mice.

- I, Ione Ruhman, will my snub-nose to Thelma Wilson.
- I, Irene Rodenmayer, will "Dots" to Gilbert Hambleton.
- I, Audrey Robertson, will "Eddy's" car to Billy Williams.
- I, Marjorie Reeder, will my freckles to "Red" Baer.
- I, Ovid Ruhman, will my ability to kill mice to Miss Eidman.
- I, Lee Rockwell, will my pull with Mr. Trabue to my kid brother "Charley."
- I, Frank Rezny, will my ability to play indoor to "Tubby" Steuernagel.
- I, Tony Rutz, will my shiekish ways to Bud Heely.
- I, Donald Randle, will my tumbling ability to Carl Schaer.
- I, Virgil Roebling, will my ability to blush to Mr. Dey.
- I, Wilbert Randle, will my place on the relay team to Harold Storck.
- I, Raymond Rutz, will my good nature to Miss Miller.
- I, Franklin Reiss, will my oratorical power to Philip Weber.
- I, Loraine Sapp, will my newspaper route to Miss Kindred because she'll be able to cover it in less steps.
- I, Loraine Storner, will my ability to play ball to someone who can stay eligible.
- I, Henry Smith, will my giggle to Kathryn Wangelin.
- I, Charles Stegmeyer, will my ability to shoot crap to somebody that needs the money.
- I, Norman Stonewater, declare myself bankrupt, God pity my debtors.
- I, Edward St. Eve, will my football suit to Harold Cross.
- I, Kenneth Schifferdecker, will my husky voice to August Baer.
- I, Arthur Schmisser, will my ability to skip and get admits to Carl Hirth.
- I, Raymond Schmisser, will my clean socks to Earl Schofield.
- I, Kenneth Schuessler, will my love for blondes to Don Wangelin.
- I, John Sprague, will my ability to blaze trails to Arthur Hambleton.
- I, Elliott Schweickert, will my individuality to Mr. Butts.
- I, Ralph Schlesinger, will my personality to Sally Heely.
- I, Genevieve Storck, will my lisp to Ruth Schmidt.
- I, Magdalene Spitz, will my intelligence to Jane Ellen Rogers.
- I, Ruth Smith, will the office to Mr. Yarbrough.
- I, Mildred Storck, will my high pitched voice to Audrey Cox.
- I, Virginia Schnaare, will my frivolous nature to Ruth Leunig.
- I, Ozello Schmisser, will my poodle to Juanita Cox.
- I, Dorothy Titze, will my lipstick to Edmee Frick.
- I, Vivienne Theiss, will my popularity to Gene Kircher.
- I, Kenneth Taylor, will my union cards to Helen Day.
- I, Jacob Tennebaum, will my "A" string to "Little Saeger."
- I, Pearl Vogel, will my love for Jazz to Justine Johnson.
- I, James Vincent, will my nickname "Rosy" to Dick Schwartz.
- I, Marie White, will my place as cheer leader to Beulah Grossman.
- I, Ruth Wagner, will my boy friends to Doris Marie Etling.
- I, Doris Wodley, will my artificial Southern drawl to Betty Kent.
- I, Warren West, will my fifty-cent words to the English department.
- I, Charles White, will my school-girl complexion to Stephen Luther.
- I, Ellion Waigand, will Ubaldo to Mr. Karch.
- I, Robert Wiechert, will Swansea to the next hick from there.
- I, Russell Werle, will my tormenting ways to Rose Margaret Freudenberg.
- I, Earl Zwetschke, will———will you?
- I, Corrinne Zerban, will my farm life to Helen Mingle.

Class Prophecy

I had been traveling in Europe for the past two years and consequently was uninformed concerning the political turmoil in America. When I did have an opportunity to glance at a newspaper I was so uninterested at the stress placed upon murders and suicides that I gradually read less and less. But one morning the following headline greeted my eyes, "First Woman Elected President of United States!" Imagine my surprise when I read farther and found that the newly-elected president was none other than Miss Florence Miller, a former member of the faculty at the Belleville Township High School!

Immediately I wired my congratulations and received a reply in the form of an invitation. Amid all her popularity she had not forgotten her former students, and insisted that I visit her at the White House as soon as possible. I needed no second invitation so packed my baggage quickly and left for America.

When my boat docked in New York harbor I was greeted by my old pal Louise Mollman, (we had not quarrelled in 20 years) society matron of Millstadt. She was accompanied by her husband, Virgil Roebling, who had made a fortune selling peanuts in the Sunken Garden. (His best customer was Mr. Yarbrough). The rest of the party included Mr. Gaylen Niedenfuehr and his wife, the former Ruth Frank, and the spinster, Helen Morgan, who was living on a palatial estate in Okawville. We proceeded to the car where I recognized the chauffeur, Leon Bischoff, who drove us to the largest hotel in New York, owned by Lester Deffenbaugh. The head porter, Longley Butts was ably assisted by Harry Ackerman, Frank Day, Adolph Auer, and Melvin Diehl. We were escorted to our rooms where four dainty maids awaited us. Although I had not recognized them they overcame their timidity and introduced themselves as, Corinne Zerban, Mignon Glueck, Helen Hausmann, and Edith Lee Parks.

Since we had agreed to leave for Washington the next morning, we retired early.

I had just gone to sleep and was in the midst of a pleasant dream when I was awakened by a terrible commotion in the room across the corridor. I crept to the door and listened through the key-hole. Although before this time, I did not know who the occupants of the room were, as the noise grew louder, I recognized the voices as those of Howard Biggs, Elmer Randle, Norman Stonewater, and "Boots" Lowery. Not until then did I realize that no murder was being committed, as I had thought, but that four members of the class of '32 were in the midst of a game of crap. Greatly disappointed, because I had expected to have some excitement, I went back to bed and slumbered the rest of the night amid occasional outbursts from the room across the hall.

I arose early and met the rest of the party in the lobby. We had breakfast in the adjoining coffee shop where we were served by Josephine Bridges. Luckily we did not stay for lunch for we were told that the cook, Katherine Andel carried out the same menu used by Mrs. Jones.

After a few minor delays I was driven to the train. I purchased my ticket from Howard Albert and a few minutes later bade my friends farewell, and boarded the train to Washington.

At first I had been in a rather sorrowful mood for I knew I would be lonesome riding all alone to Washington, but my fears vanished completely when I recognized the porter as Louis Jewett, because I knew he could furnish me with enough gossip for the whole trip. And in that I was not wrong, for immediately he informed me that the personnel of the train included Warren West—engineer; Earl Guthrie—fireman; Warren Duffield, Harold Ervin, Wilbur Florreich, Olin Gerdes, Arthur Fohr and John Grieves—assistant porters. The waitresses were Doris Gebhardt, Aurelia Auer, Mary Francis Begole, Bertha Gore, and Frances Hiltrop. The maids were Melba Kuhn, Joan Leber, Alice Mahr, and Estelle McCullough.

After hearing these familiar names I knew I would enjoy the remainder of my trip. After gossiping with all of my friends I learned quite a few things of interest. Kenny Schuessler had been kicked out of Yale because of poor sportsmanship. Aliceann Godfrey was hostess of a night club in New York, operated by Robert Berg, where the main feature was an adagio by Mary Helen Andel and Temple Marsh. The cigarette girls included Ruth Fontana, Nita Gaubatz, Martha Gutherz, and Eileen Rice. Edna Mae Berger was the center of attraction in a hair-raising trapeze act in a circus. The fat lady was Kathryn Rapp, the bearded lady was Dorothy Palmer, and the living skeleton was Helen Eidman. This certainly was an interesting bit of news but the best was yet to come.

Kenneth Taylor was principal of B. T. H. S. (Mr. Schmidt had been taken to the insane asylum) and Charles Fitzgerald was assistant principal. The head of the History Department was Kathleen Duey, and Raymond Grimmer headed the English Department.

By this time I had arrived at my destination and although sorry to leave good company, I was forced to get off the train for it had come to a sudden stop.

Imagine my surprise when I was greeted by Miss Miller's private secretary, Dorothy Louis, who had brought with her a copy of Miss Miller's original "Condensed American Government."

We were whizzed to the White House, by Miss Miller's private chauffeur, Eddie Burckhardt. We hurried into the reception room and were immediately escorted into the private office of the President, who was contemplating the signing of a bill for the repeal of the 18th Amendment. After an exchange of greetings we settled down to discuss the past election. I learned that Miss Miller's phenomenal victory over her opponent Kenneth Schifferdecker, was partly due to the efforts of her campaign manager, Franklin Reiss. The Vice President who was elected with Miss Miller, was Arthur Buesch. Newly appointed members of the cabinet (Miss Miller was an ardent supporter of the "spoils system") were Secretary of State—Martha Allen; Secretary of Treasury—Leslie Cole; Secretary of War—

Tony Christman; Secretary of Navy—Marcella Depper; Secretary of Agriculture—Howard Fincke, Secretary of Commerce—Margaret Gore; Secretary of Labor—Dorothy Haseman; Secretary of Interior—Helen Hasler;; Attorney General—Norman Hartwell; Postmaster General—Eugene Heidinger. When I inquired of Miss Miller why she thought those particular persons would be capable of serving in the Cabinet, she replied that she offered them those positions because she had always remembered them as outstanding students of Civics, and who had never made a grade below 97. I agreed with her that they should deserve some recognition.

Concluding her discussion of politics, Miss Miller, naturally being interested in the welfare of her students, asked if I knew of the fortune or fate of any other members of that memorable class of '32. I told her about those whom I had heard of on my trip and those whom I knew personally. She was surprised to hear that Leah Hary played the mouth-harp at the Ritz Theatre, that Doris Horn had the leading part in a play, "The Sleeping Beauty" (she slept through the whole play), Margaret Hueckel had risen to sudden popularity at the publishing of her new book, "The Advantages of a Depression."

Wayne Hoover, Glibert Hambleton, Charles Miller, Adam Mauer, and Billy Otwell were airmail pilots who had recently been indicted for forming a monopoly of the trade between Swansea and Shiloh. They were tried by a jury consisting of Dolores Nebgen, Stanley Miller, Clarence Mueller, Willmar Peters, Henrietta Kniepkamp, Florence Keim, Roberta Nivin, Evelyn Poser, Ruth Mueller, Loraine Sapp, Loraine Storner, and Wilbert Randle. Their lawyer was John Sprague, which accounted for their losing the case. Charles Stegmeyer was still going to high school, but was to receive a pension in 1953. ,

As our lengthy conversation drew to a close, Miss Miller suggested she escort us through the White House and other places of interest in Washington. We considered this an honor for, although we had visited the sights of Washington before, we had never been escorted by the President.

As we were taken from the Blue Room to the Gold Room, I noticed someone scrubbing the floor. Upon closer observation I recognized the person to be Maria Altmansberger, who wrote poetry during her spare moments. She, like all other great poets, had to work to make a living and to receive inspirations. Three janitors of unusual ability were Homer Rheinhardt, John Rauth and Frederick Moehle.

On our way to the capital I was attracted by the friendly nod of the street-cleaner, Walter Merz, who had been progressing rapidly in the world until he was found guilty of robbing the Bellevinois "strong box." He had just been parolled from prison and his dejected mood was due to the fact that after his arrest he had been deserted by "Theiss" his "one and only," who eloped with Robert Wiechert, the mayor of Swansea. In a few minutes we arrived at the Capitol and were shown through the building by a very efficient guide, Ovid Ruhman.

Suddenly we heard some talking and laughing and several men came

around the corner, deep in a discussion of world news. Imagine my surprise when I recognized them as Lee Rockwell, Ambassador from England; Jacob Tennebaum, Ambassador from Italy and Tony Rutz, Ambassador from France. I stopped them and we began to talk of old times. They said that the last they heard of Robert Berg, he had won a tennis championship at Wimbledon. He seemed to be getting along pretty well as a bachelor and often entertained with large parties at the hangar at Scott Field. Arthur Schmisser was sports writer for the "Freeburg Herald," edited by Ione Ruhman. Other members of the editorial staff were Henry Smith, Donald Randle, Frank Rezny and Edward St. Eve.

Jennie Nevener, so they related, was following the example of Jane Addams, and had founded a large settlement house in New York. Her assistants were Marjorie Reeder, Maryan Middlecoff, Irene Rodenmayer, and Audrey Robertson. Some of the most interesting inmates were Ralph Schlesinger, Lyman Mertz, Helen Keil, and Ellen Knobeloch.

In the midst of our conversation we heard the clamor and banging of drums. We rushed to the window just in time to see a gala procession wending its way down Pennsylvania avenue. We were all the more interested when we recognized Earl Zwetsche as drum major. Following the drum corps was an open car displaying Herbert Kaufman, the person honored. He had just received a patent for his violet-scented flea powder, the marvel of the age. Accompanying him were his wife, Ethel Mutto, who had contributed many rare specimens toward the success of the invention, Charles White, Ruth Wagner and Dorothy Titze. When Herbert recognized us among his crowd of admirers he stopped the parade and insisted that we ride with him. This great honor overcame our modesty, so amid shouts and cheers we crowded into his Austin. You can imagine that conversation was not lacking! He was overjoyed to see us, especially his former Civics teacher, Miss Miller. He inquired about his classmates (he had not been affected by all his popularity) and after we told him all the information we had gathered, he related all he knew. A few nights ago he had heard a sermon by Magdalene Spitz, the "Woman Evangelist." Genevieve Storck, Ruth Smith, Doris Wodley, Bernard Walker, Ellian Waigand and Mildred Storck (it ran in the family) were inmates of an insane asylum at Alton. Pearl Vogel was broadcasting over radio station B. V. D. every Tuesday and Thursday. Russel Werle, James Vincent, Edward Ziehnert were station announcers. Virginia Schnaare, with her silvery voice was the most popular broadcaster. Ozello Schisseur gave daily talks on "The Merits of Hair-Pins."

Suddenly I realized that I had heard of all the members of the Class of '32. When I mentioned that fact to Miss Miller she replied, "But you haven't told me about Sarah Mary Farthing. What is she doing now?"

"Oh!" I answered, "Sarah Mary? This is **her** busy year. You know it's leap year again."

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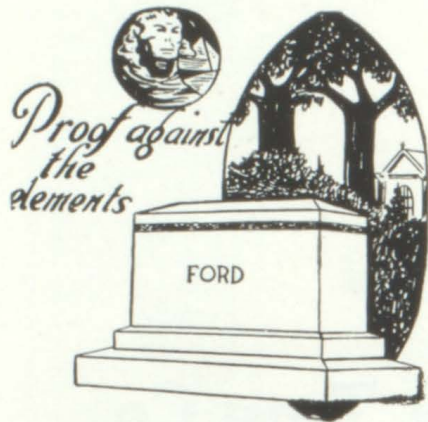
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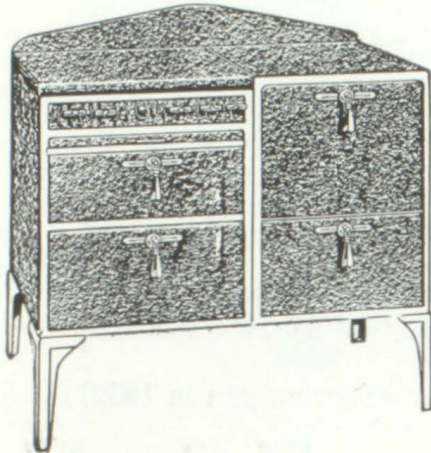
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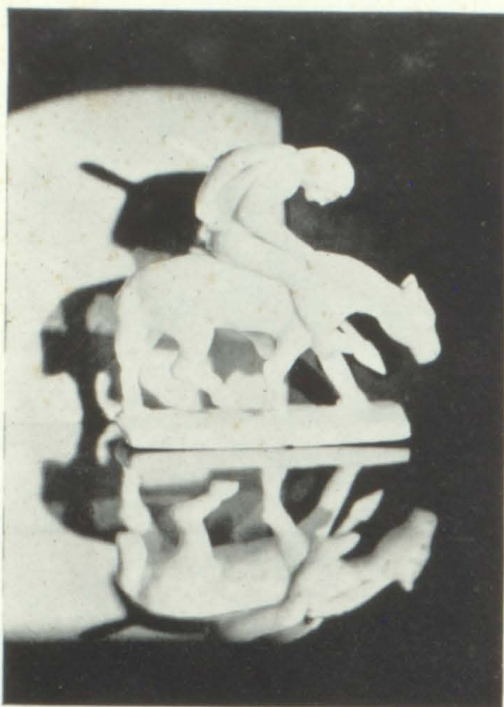
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The strange thing was that I could see
Upon the lower rungs,
Climbers not unknown to me,
Friends of my own tongue.

Who were they, you would like to know?
These climbers who passed up the fool,
Who kept a steady pace, not slow;
Why—they're from my High School.

And as I watched the true ones climb
The ladder to the peak,
I thought and then made up my mind
For such a place I'd seek.

Now at the bottom we've begun to build
To plan our future lives—
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